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WOOD BESTS TESREAU IN SECOND PITCHERS BATTLE OF THE WORLD'S SERIES

McGRAW STARTS AMES IN SEVENTH

Big Fellow Had Been Doing Good, but Gave Way to Pinch Hitter

THREE TO ONE IS THE SCORE

Sox Count in the Second, Fourth and Ninth, and Giants Score in Seventh

WAGNER THE BRIGHT STAR

Sox Shortstop's Wonderful Fielding Back of Woods Robs New York of Victory

(By Grantland Rice)

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Brush Stadium.—Joe Wood repeated on Tesreau and the New York Giants today and as a result the Red Sox returned to Boston tonight with the "jump game" once more in their possession and the Giants again one down.

Smoky Wood, with a gray day to help him out, was all there with a margin to spare. Tesreau was good, but not enough so to cope with the glit-edged product of the Boston marvel. Wood's effort was unquestionably a big factor, but no small share of the credit for the win must go to a ball playing centipede by the name of Heinie Wagner.

The count was 3 to 1, and but for Wagner's brilliant, almost superhuman work, the Giant attack would have left a different story to be written of Wood's day's efforts.

For four rounds Wood worked at top speed, driving the Giants to the soup trough almost in order. He had them curbed at every turn. In the fifth the Red Sox premier worked to a raw fizzle, began to break and threatened to crumple up.

Merkle slashed one over second and by a great stop Wagner cut down the hit. Herzog singled and Fletcher cracked another over second where the flashing Wagner again cut over and by a hair-raising stop and throw the rally was killed. All through these closing stages Wagner and Yerkes stood back of Wood, who, pitching gamely, had lost some of his smoke, but was carried along by a defense which was absolutely a stone wall.

BRUSH STADIUM, NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The mad charge of the bugle storming the gates overshadowed the entrance of the athletes to-day. Twenty thousand strong—and

weak—swept through the stiles at noon after the national commission with a drowsy yawn had graciously decided that it was time to permit the rabble to enter the grounds.

Tesreau, the splitter, was booked to face Joe Wood, the rifleman, by all the advance dope, and back of Tesreau Giant troopers rushed to the field at 12:40 for a winning fight.

Under today's conditions Boston gripped new hope. The afternoon was an ideal one for Wood's whistling speed, while damp, soggy conditions showed Tesreau under a handicap.

Speaker Hurt

So Boston looked for Wood to win with all conditions in his favor. But at this point Red Sox benchmen ceased pointing with pride to view with alarm, for a special word came direct from headquarters that Tris Speaker, slugger extraordinary, would not adorn the zone. Tris wrenched his ankle, scaling to first on Wednesday, and yesterday the ankle began to swell. Through half the night the Boston trainer worked over the injured member, to reduce the swelling. Speaker came on the field with his team mates at 12:55, but limped badly and was apparently suffering anguish at every quick start.

Despite the threatening aspect of the weather, the tie game and the victory at Boston had gotten in their work and at 1:35 the bleachers were practically filled, the grand stands were crowded and there was every prospect that the 35,000 crowd of the opening game would be exceeded today. While the home plate, the pitcher's box and the base lines had been covered during the night's rain and were in fairly satisfactory shape, the outfield and territory behind the foul lines was soggy and slippery enough to give considerable trouble to those sent in pursuit of high fouls and flies.

First Inning

BOSTON.—Hooper singled over second after drawing three and two, Yerkes bunted in front of the plate and Meyers threw over Doyle's head to get Hooper at second. Yerkes gets credit for sacrifice hit. Meyers gets an error. Speaker hit into a double play, Fletcher touching second to catch Yerkes and throwing out Speaker at first. Hooper took third on the play. Lewis out, Fletcher to Merkle. No runs, one hit, one error. Fletcher further vindicated McGraw's confidence in him in the opening inning when his snappy, almost spectacular play pulled Tesreau out of a threatening hole after Hooper had singled and Yerkes had gotten to first on a wild throw by Chief Meyers.

NEW YORK.—Devore fanned out. Doyle singled to left. Snodgrass forced Doyle. Gardner to Yerkes. Snodgrass was caught off first. Wood to Stahl. No runs, one hit, no errors. The Giants were decidedly slow on the bases in their half of the opening round. Doyle was caught by a rod when Snodgrass forced him at second and Snodgrass was inexcusable in his throw to the bag.

Second Inning

BOSTON.—Gardner tripled to right (Continued on Page 16)

| GIANTS | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------|----|---|---|----|----|----|----|----|----|---|--|--|
| | AB | R | H | E | BB | SH | SB | PO | A | E | | |
| Devore, 1f | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Doyle, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 | 1 | 0 | | |
| Snodgrass, cf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Murray, 1f | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Merkle, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 8 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Herzog, 3b | 4 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 1 | 0 | | |
| Meyers, c | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | 1 | 1 | | |
| Fletcher, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 6 | 0 | | |
| Tesreau, p | 2 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | | |
| McCormick | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Ames, p | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | | |
| Totals | 35 | 1 | 9 | 10 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 27 | 11 | 1 | | |
| RED SOX | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | AB | R | H | E | BB | SH | SB | PO | A | E | | |
| Hooper, rf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Yerkes, 2b | 3 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 5 | 0 | | |
| Speaker, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Lewis, lf | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Gardner, 3b | 3 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | | |
| Stahl, 1b | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Wagner, ss | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 0 | | |
| Cady, c | 4 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10 | 0 | 0 | | |
| Wood, p | 4 | 0 | 2 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 0 | | |
| Totals | 32 | 3 | 8 | 11 | 3 | 2 | 0 | 27 | 12 | 1 | | |

McCormick batted for Tesreau in the seventh inning.

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Red Sox 00000100—1 9 1

SUMMARY: Two base hits, Speaker, Fletcher; three base hits, Gardner; sacrifice hits, Yerkes, Stahl; stolen bases, Merkle; double plays, Fletcher to Merkle; struck out, by Wood 8, by Tesreau 5; bases on balls, off Tesreau 2; off Ames 1; hits, off Tesreau, 5 in 7 innings; wild pitch, Tesreau.

SENSATIONAL PLAY IN THE FIRST WORLD'S SERIES GAME



In the third inning of the first world's series game at New York, Devore was passed by Wood and started to steal just as Doyle dropped a two base hit between Gardner and Lewis. It was a nip and tuck race for third base between Devore and the ball—Devore winning out. The photograph also shows Manager McGraw on the coaching line.

BEAT TURKS BACK UPON SCUTARI

Montenegro Wins Battles About Moslems' Frontier Fortifications

FIFTEEN MILES INTO TURKEY

Christian Troops Have Advanced Far Past the Frontier of Albania

VIENNA, Oct. 11.—The road to Scutari was open to the Montenegrin forces today, according to messages from Podgoritz, King Nicholas' headquarters. At latest accounts they were making themselves secure in the Detchitch mountain fortifications, captured from the Turks after a two days' fight. It was believed all the Turkish defenders of the position were prisoners.

Their victories at Planinitza and Detchitch mountains carried the main body of Montenegrin invaders about fifteen miles into Turkish territory. Their further advance to Scutari should be easy, since there are but a few weak Turkish garrisons to be dealt with on the way. At Scutari the Turks under Essad Pasha are concentrating strongly.

Dispatches from the front merely say the Montenegrin and Turkish losses were very heavy about Planinitz and Detchitch mountains. The Turks fought furiously until their artillery was silenced.

LONDON, Oct. 11.—Scutari has been occupied by the Montenegrins, according to a special from Budapest. The news was unconfirmed, and was doubted here. If true, it marks a heavy disaster for the Turks. The town is the most important in northern Albania and a Turkish stronghold.

A Podgoritz dispatch says a fort dominating the Turkish town of Euzi was captured by King Nicholas' men yesterday after fourteen hours' fighting in which both sides lost heavily.

THURSTON TO SPEAK

MAN WHO WON FAME AS AN ORATOR BEFORE SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR TO TALK FOR TAFT

Former United States Senator John M. Thurston, who is scheduled to speak for Taft tonight at the La Crosse theater, will arrive in La Crosse at 5:30 this afternoon and will be met at the depot by a delegation of Taft supporters of this city. He will be escorted to the Stoddard hotel, where he will have dinner. His speech at the theater will be a discussion of national issues from the standpoint of a Taft republican. Senator Thurston was at one time considered one of the most eloquent speakers in the country and his speech, "Cuba Must be Free," is considered one of the classics of the senate. It was this speech, delivered after a personal investigation of the conditions in Cuba during the reign of terror under General Weyler, that aroused public sentiment in the United States to the war which exploded into an irresistible demand for hostilities on the blowing up of the Maine in Havana harbor. Senator Thurston has been a staunch supporter of Taft ever since the time he was secretary of war. A band has been procured to give a concert in the downtown district before the meeting at the opera house.

BEAT MESSENGER AFTER BIG FIGHT

Train Robbers and Express Employee Fight Battle in Car Going 40 Miles an Hour

ONE OF CROOKS INJURED

Pals Attack Defender and Leave Him Near Death when Ammunition Is Gone

FORT SMITH, Ark., Oct. 11.—Four masked men held up and attempted to rob northbound Kansas City Southern passenger train No. 2, near Potter, Ark., about 1:30 a. m. today. As a result one of the robbers is believed to have been fatally shot by Express Messenger Merrill Burgett of Kansas City, and Burgett was so badly beaten by the wounded bandit's companions that he is reported to be dying.

Burgett is now at Mena, Ark., where physicians say he cannot recover.

The four bandits boarded the train as it left Hatfield. They swung onto the side of the express car and smashed in the glass with their guns. While the robbers were thus engaged, Burgett ran to the safes, took out the valuables and hid them. After breaking the glass, the robbers reached in and unlocked the door.

Gets One Bandit

In the meantime, Burgett had armed himself with two revolvers and a shotgun. He opened fire on the robbers and a sensational gun fight followed. With the train running forty miles an hour, and the bandits clinging to the door of the car they battled with Burgett.

After a score of shots had been exchanged, one of the bandits cried: "I'm a goner and you had better take me off."

Messenger Burgett says that one of the bandits then grabbed his wounded companion and both leaped to the ground in the darkness. As they disappeared the two remaining bandits entered the car. Burgett had retreated to a position behind some trunks by this time and the battle continued.

Burgett ran out of ammunition and when he fired his last shot the bandits seized him and beat him insensibly with their revolvers.

The bandits were unable to find the valuables which Burgett had hidden, and returning to him, tortured the messenger in an effort to force him to reveal where they were secreted. Burgett was beaten over the head and became unconscious.

Posses After Men

Near Potter the robbers cut the air hose, bringing the train to a stop and disappeared. Conductor Lockwood found Burgett frightfully beaten and in a semi-conscious condition on the floor of the express car. The train was hurried to Mena where Burgett was placed under the care of a physician, and a special train made up carrying Sheriff Thornton and a posse with bloodhounds to the scene of the holdup.

The robber shot by Express Messenger Burgett on the Kansas City Southern passenger train, was found near the scene of the attempted holdup, this afternoon. He was shot near the heart and is expected to die.

Reports from Mena, where Burgett was taken, state that the express messenger will recover from the wounds he received at the hands of the bandits.

GOMPERS DRAGGED INTO THE TRIAL

Name of President of the American Federation of Labor in Dynamite Case

DEFENSE OBJECTS IN VAIN

Kern's Declaration Federation Is Not on Trial Overruled by the Court

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 11.—Over vigorous objections by the defense the government today succeeded in bringing the name of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, into the dynamite conspiracy trial of the forty-five ironworkers. Frank Schilling, a St. Louis hotel clerk, was allowed to testify that Gompers was at the now closed Southern hotel in that city when Olaf A. Tveitmo of San Francisco, secretary of the California building trades council, was a guest in the hotel.

Tveitmo, called by the prosecution the "old man" and "the paymaster of the coast," and Gompers met in St. Louis November 27, 1908.

"We object because the question is irrelevant," protested Senator Kern, when Noel asked Schilling about Gompers. "The American Federation of Labor is not on trial," continued Kern, "and is not in any way connected with this case."

"The government will show connection between Gompers and this case by date testimony," Noel declared, and Judge Anderson overruled the objection.

G. A. Dixon of the Argonaut hotel, San Francisco, testified to the presence there in 1910 of one J. B. Bryce and then identified as Bryce, a picture of James B. McNamara, George W. Hunter of a Youngstown, Ohio, hotel, told of a visit of H. S. Hockin.

HUNT A FAMILY HERE

POSTAL OFFICIALS SEARCH FOR FAMILY OF M'DONALDS RELATED TO WOMAN KILLED IN CHICAGO

A search for any members of a McDonald family who may be related to a Mary McDonald who was killed by a train in Chicago yesterday is being conducted by local post office officials today, following the receipt of a communication from Mrs. Hathaway, 129 Ada street, Chicago, who says that Mary McDonald is known to have had a father and step brothers, and sisters residing in or near La Crosse. According to Mrs. Hathaway's communication, which does not explain her connection with the case, Mary McDonald was killed by a train in Chicago yesterday. She declares that there is some property in the name of the dead woman and she insinuates that there is good ground for a damage suit. Further than mentioning the fact that the father and step brother and sisters are reported to have resided in the vicinity of La Crosse, Mrs. Hathaway does not explain which McDonald family is related to the dead woman.

KATY BUYS B. & G. N.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—It was officially announced here this afternoon that the Missouri, Kansas and Texas railroad has purchased the entire capital stock of the Beaumont and Great Northern railroad which will hereafter be operated as a part of the "Katy" system.

SAYS PRIVILEGE IS NEVER ASLEEP

Senator Owen Declares Interests Are Working Up Sentiment Against Income Tax

ATTACKS DEMOCRATS STAND

Says Lobbyists of Big Business Fought Progressive Measure and Are Still Fighting

Declaring that Big Business and Special Privilege never sleep "on the job" and that they are at work in this campaign seeking to wrest control from the people of Wisconsin, Senator Walter C. Owen, Maiden Rock, Wis., candidate for attorney general, delivered the opening speech of the republican state campaign in West Salem last night.

The meeting, which was presided over by S. W. Brown, was well attended and enthusiasm throughout the address of the senator was strong.

The speaker took up in detail the income tax question and asserted that the strenuous opposition to the measure came not from the farmer, the merchant or the business man of moderate means but from the holders of great wealth who, up to the present, have succeeded in dodging paying their just proportion of taxes because of the fact that their holdings were out of sight of the assessor. The men who own large quantities of stocks, mortgages, bonds and notes are the ones who are hit, he declared, and it is this element who are asking the small tax payer, the man who pays his just proportion of taxes, to join hands with them in an effort to repeal a law which will result in a reduction of taxes to the majority of citizens.

Explains Taxation

His explanation of the taxation question was minute and thorough. In the early days, following the state's admission to the union, he explained, property was mostly tangible and consisted of real estate, homes and property in sight and easily found by the assessor. As years went on, he said, conditions changed. Corporations have formed. Men invested large sums of money and there is nothing to be seen by the assessor. The result, he said, was that the small property owner, the man who has his worldly goods in sight, is the one who has been carrying the burden.

He attacked the stand of the democrats on the question and called attention to the fact that in 1908 the people of Wisconsin, by a vote of nearly 3 to 1, went on record for the tax. He reviewed the fact that the legislature, realizing the importance of the question, refused to hastily draft a law and appointed a special committee for two years to study the question of income tax. In their work they were advised and assisted by the world's greatest authorities on income tax, he said. The result of the efforts, he maintained is a law that has no equal and the Wisconsin measure is far ahead of any ever presented in any state in this country.

That the personal property system of taxation is entirely wrong because of its unfair features, and that it will be wiped from the statute books entirely if the income tax proves a success, was another assertion of the speaker.

Opposed by Interests

"During the time this measure was pending, he declared, the capital was thronged with lobbyists, the majority of them paid, working every game they knew to prevent the passage of the measure."

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WATER POWER PLANT IS SOLD AT 20 PER CENT

Property Representing Approximately \$2,400,000 Knocked Down for \$500,000 Today

THE BONDHOLDERS BUY IT

Committee Representing Them Only Bidders for Great Electric Power Plant at Hatfield

CONNECTION IS NOT SHOWN

It Was Impossible to Identify Deal with Option on La Crosse Gas and Electric Co.

The property of the La Crosse Waterpower company was sold today for \$500,000. The amount invested in the property is approximately \$2,400,000. The sale took place as advertised at Black River Falls before George B. Holmes, of Madison, special master in chancery. The purchasers were a committee representing the bondholders of the Water Power company, in whose interest the purchase was made. The committee was composed of Fred Vogel, Frank O. Witmore and Frank B. Riley. There were no other bidders, although the appearance of a number of strangers in the city created the impression early that there would be other bids. It was impossible to learn the reason for the presence of these strangers, or whom they represented.

It was unofficially announced today that the bondholders' committee will meet shortly in Chicago and a reorganization of the company will be effected. The holders of the paper will be asked to increase their subscriptions in order that the work on the new reservoir may be completed, thus finishing the equipment of the plant upon a scale large enough to take care of all the territory it can logically expect to supply.

If there was any connection between the sale today and the recent purchase of an option on the La Crosse Gas and Electric company of this city the fact was not disclosed by the sale of the Water Power plant today. No one who could be identified as connected with the Kelcey Brewer company or Samuel Insull was located, and while a man associated with H. M. Bilsby was there he did not bid. No information as to whether the option on the La Crosse plant is the property of the bondholders' committee could be secured, further than the statement of President Ferris that, so far as he knows, it is not.

The sale carries control of the Black River Improvement company, which is now inactive and is probably valuable for riparian and flowage rights only, and he preferred stock of the light and traction companies of Winona.

WEATHER

For La Crosse and vicinity: Rain tonight; Saturday generally fair. Somewhat colder tonight.

For Wisconsin: Rain tonight and probably Saturday.

For Minnesota: Generally fair west, rain east portion tonight and probably Saturday; frost northwest portion tonight.

For Iowa: Rain and colder tonight; Saturday generally fair.

Weather Conditions

The eastern high has moved to the north Atlantic coast, the southwestern low is now central in the lower Missouri valley, and the Canadian depression is located in Saskatchewan. These pressure movements have caused rain from the central and north Plains states to the Lake region and north Atlantic coast. It is raining this morning from Nebraska through Iowa to southern Wisconsin, and at Boston and generally cloudy at all other stations east of the Rocky mountains. It is slightly warmer at the middle and north Atlantic coast stations and also in Montana and the Dakotas and somewhat cooler in Colorado and the southern Plateau region. Elsewhere the temperature changes have been small and variable.

The storm in the Missouri valley will cause rain in this section tonight with somewhat lower temperature probably followed Saturday by generally fair weather.

River

| St. Paul | La | Stage Change. |
|-----------|-----|---------------|
| Red Wing | 1.2 | -0.1 |
| Reeds | 1.5 | 0.0 |
| La Crosse | 1.4 | 0.0 |
| Lansing | 2.1 | 0.0 |
| Prairie | 2.6 | -0.1 |
| | 2.8 | -0.1 |

The river will remain nearly stationary during the next 48 hours.

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| French Coney Sets, worth \$4.50, at | \$2.49 | Moleskin Scarfs, worth \$37.50, at | \$17.50 |
| French Coney Scarfs, worth \$1.50, at | .50c | Moleskin Muffs, worth \$37.50, at | \$17.50 |
| French Coney Muffs, worth \$1.50, at | .50c | Moleskin Sets, worth \$75.00, at | \$37.50 |
| French Coney Sets, worth \$6.50, at | \$3.95 | Hudson Seal Scarfs, worth \$45.00, at | \$22.50 |
| Blue Goat Sets, worth \$7.50, at | \$2.95 | Hudson Seal Muffs, worth \$45.00, at | \$22.50 |
| Blue Goat Sets, worth \$10.00, at | \$4.95 | Hudson Seal Sets, worth \$85.00, at | \$42.50 |
| Brown Opossum Sets, worth \$35.00, at | \$17.50 | Genuine Eastern Mink Muffs, worth \$35.00, at | \$19.50 |
| Brook Mink Sets, worth \$30.00, at | \$15.00 | Genuine Eastern Mink Sets, worth \$125, at | \$75.00 |
| Russian Mink Sets, worth \$22.50, at | \$12.50 | Hudson Bay Sable Scarfs, worth \$250, at | \$125.00 |
| Red Fox Sets, worth \$25.00, at | \$15.00 | Hudson Bay Sable Muffs, worth \$250, at | \$125.00 |
| Red Fox Sets, worth \$35.00, at | \$17.50 | Hudson Bay Sable Sets, worth \$500, at | \$250.00 |
| Black Fox Sets, worth \$50.00, at | \$25.00 | Civit Cat Scarfs, worth \$65.00, at | \$32.50 |
| Grey Fox Sets, worth \$25.00, at | \$15.00 | Civit Cat Muffs, worth \$65.00, at | \$32.50 |
| Black Wolf Sets, worth \$30.00, at | \$15.00 | Civit Cat Sets, worth \$125, at | \$75.00 |
| Blue Wolf Sets, worth \$60.00, at | \$35.00 | Genuine Eastern Mink Sets, worth \$500, at | \$375.00 |
| Natural Mink Scarfs, worth \$37.50, at | \$18.75 | Pointed Fox Scarfs, worth \$100, at | \$48.75 |
| Natural Mink Muffs, worth \$37.50, at | \$17.50 | Pointed Fox Muffs, worth \$100, at | \$48.75 |
| Natural Mink Sets, worth \$140, at | \$75.00 | Pointed Fox Sets, worth \$200, at | \$97.50 |
| Natural Mink Sets, worth \$70.00, at | \$37.50 | Natural Beaver Scarfs, worth \$35.00, at | \$17.50 |
| Japanese Mink Scarfs, worth \$30.00, at | \$15.00 | Natural Beaver Muffs, worth \$35.00, at | \$17.50 |
| Japanese Mink Muffs, worth \$30.00, at | \$15.00 | Natural Beaver Sets, worth \$70.00, at | \$47.50 |

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THE COMMISSION QUESTION

Judge Karel, democratic candidate for governor, has declared against the state commissions dealing with the industrial situation. Governor McGovern has answered Judge Karel by telling what these commissions have done. In order that our readers may judge whether they do or do not want the commissions continued, The Tribune will publish Governor McGovern's statements, one each day.

DAIRY AND FOOD COMMISSION

(By Francis E. McGovern.)

The Dairy and Food Commission was created in 1889. It then had three members. In 1895 its membership was increased to five; in 1903 to eight; in 1905 to eighteen; two years later to twenty-two and at the last session of the legislature to thirty. In the last ten years therefore it has increased sixfold—from five to thirty—and undoubtedly it is one of the commissions under the ban of the Manufacturers' association for having during this time meddled in an officious and exasperating way with private and corporate affairs. There can at least be no doubt about the facts. This commission has meddled in the affairs of business. It has exasperated a great many business men and some of the legislation it enforces is drastic in the extreme. So we cannot go astray in concluding that it is one of the commissions our opponents are pledged to elect to abolish. Let us see whether they should be permitted to do so.

How the People Were Being Robbed
The Wisconsin Dairy and Food Commission was established because impure butter, cheese, milk and drugs were being sold in Wisconsin to the injury of consumers and the oppression of honest producers. Laws prohibiting these things were in existence before but they had remained inoperative because it was no man's business in particular to enforce them. As a result conditions were about as bad as they could be. Commissioner H. C. Adams, for seven and one-half years head of this department, who achieved nationwide distinction as an authority upon this subject and who while in Congress is said to have been responsible for the enactment of the national meat inspection bill, set forth the situation as follows:

"Tea has been adulterated; coffee beans, made out of rye paste creased and colored to look like the real thing; flour, adulterated with earth; candy, with the same material; common spirit vinegar sold for cider vinegar; a riot of adulteration in all forms of spices; butter, adulterated with water, casein, lard and tallow; smoked hams, that smoke never touched and which obtained their color and flavor from a poisonous solution called 'liquid smoke'; baking powders with labels written by the prince of liars; cream, colored artificially and preserved by rank poison; sausage made of stale meat unfit for human use, brightly colored by an injurious preservative; maple syrup made out of brown sugar and a beautiful label; New Orleans molasses, as nearly like the genuine as a decrepit negro would be like the Venus de Milo; milk, the special food of babies and invalids and the universal food of the people, diluted, skimmed and poisoned; veal, from calves killed within forty-eight hours after birth; cheese robbed of butter fat and filled with hog fat; canned goods, full of water and injurious preservatives; adulterated beer, adulterated whiskey, adulterated wines, adulterated drugs; cottonseed oil sold for olive oil; honey mixed with glucose; lard, containing caustic lime starch, stearin and cottonseed oil; peas, colored with poisonous copper. Nearly everything which can be used for drink or food has been sold to the American people in recent years under the name of pure food products."

If I wished to take up your time I could pile authority upon authority from every part of the country to corroborate what Mr. Adams has said. But I shall quote only a few sentences from a decision of the New York Court of Appeals where it said:

"It is notorious that the adulteration of food products has grown to proportions so enormous as to menace the health and safety of the people. Ingenuity keeps pace with greed and careless and heedless consumers are exposed to increasing peril. To redress such evils is a plain duty but a difficult task."

Problem of Protecting the Public
What were the people to do? Commissioner J. Q. Emery has pointed out that three courses of action were open to them.

First, there was the let alone policy. The people could acquiesce in things as they were. They could placidly allow the army of food adulterators to rob them of their health and money. They could peacefully lull themselves into a feeling of satisfaction with existing conditions no matter how bad they might be and persuade themselves that food manufacturers and merchants were too honest and fair to sell anything that was not good for them. However, disastrous to their bank accounts and bodily vigor this course might be it surely would be simple and child-like in its confidence in business and highly commendable from the standpoint of the Manufacturers' association who would thus be spared from officious and exasperating meddling.

Another course they might have

followed was to let each consumer fight his own battles alone. Let the farmer or the laboring man who innocently purchased poisonous food take his case into court. Let him hire a lawyer, employ chemists as expert witnesses to meet the able counsel and trained specialists of the powerful manufacturers and purveyors of fraudulent and adulterated foods. Thus equipped let him confront them at the trial. Let him do all this and if he should succeed in collecting damages from those who wronged and deceived him by the sale of oleomargarine for butter or sand and red clay for pepper, he surely ought not to object to paying his lawyer and chemists out of the proceeds of the judgment. Of course the judgment might not amount to enough to pay his own carfare in going to and returning from court, to say nothing about his other expenses; but was not his legal remedy complete? Was he not free to do as he pleased? If he did not wish to go to law no one could make him do so. As to the danger of ruining his health or poisoning his family the common law maxim of caveat emptor, "let the buyer beware" furnished the answer. This ancient theory let me say assumes that every man is perfectly competent to protect himself.

The Solution Reached
The third course was the method the people of Wisconsin actually employed. They defined food adulteration by law and provided at public expense for a food commissioner, inspectors and chemists whose business it was to protect the public. This is the Wisconsin idea of fair play. By co-operation and concerted action they have effectively protected themselves against all the dangers that lurk in fraudulently prepared foods and drugs at an annual cost of just two cents per capita. At the trifling expense of a dime for each family of five persons the state in this way inspects creameries, cheese factories and condenserries, analyzes foods, drugs and liquors, tests weights and measures and vigorously and impartially enforces every law now on the statute books for the regulation of the sale of food products.

Saved Nearly Three Million Dollars Last Year

How does this plan work out in practice? In the first place it has put money in the pockets of honest producers. According to figures furnished Commissioner Emery by leading wholesale cheese dealers, in the year 1911 it increased the value of the cheese product of this state a cent a pound. As Wisconsin produced over 164,000,000 pounds of cheese last year this means a saving of \$1,640,000. During the same year and in the same way it increased the value of the Wisconsin output of butter one cent a pound or \$1,340,000 in the aggregate. Upon these two items alone therefore there was a saving last year of almost \$3,000,000.

A Saving of Millions to Pocketbook
In the second place, it has protected the health and pocketbooks of consumers. The value of this work from a purely sanitary standpoint cannot of course be estimated in dollars and cents. But the savings made by requiring food products to be sold for what they are instead of allowing them to be disposed of at fancy prices under false pretenses of superior quality can be determined. Mr. Emery computes it from figures found in the United States census reports and verified by our experience in Wisconsin at not less than \$6,000,000 a year. The enforcement of the weights and measures law he estimates has effected a further saving of \$1,250,000 for the year. For not only did the food purveyor sell the people poisonous products but he also beat them in the quantity and weight.

Ten Million Dollars Saved Annually
Here then is a total annual saving to the people of Wisconsin of at least \$10,000,000. In addition to this must be considered the priceless conservation of health and life. Does it pay? It is a policy the soundness and wisdom of which must appeal to every right thinking man. But it interferes in a most meddlesome and irritating way with business almost every day in the year.

Cost Lower than in Neighboring States

How much now does this commission cost the taxpayers of Wisconsin? Recently high water mark was reached for the year ending June 30, 1912. It amounted to \$48,550 and is the largest annual expenditure in the history of the department. But lest this be thought an extravagant sum let me say that the Michigan Dairy and Food commission for the same year cost \$40,600; the Iowa commission, \$48,000; the Minnesota commission, \$62,728; and the Illinois commission \$73,000. The average of these four states is \$56,075, or \$7,425 more than the highest cost for any year in the state of Wisconsin. Much of the work of each of these commissions has to do with cheese factories, creameries and condenserries; and of these Illinois has 306, Iowa 503, Michigan 531, Minnesota 927 and Wisconsin 3,048, more than the other four states taken together. The cost here in proportion to the work done is therefore very low indeed.

Cost Less Now than During Peck Administration

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and Food commission compare favorably with similar boards in other states; not only does it return two hundredfold every dollar expended to maintain it; during the past ten years of republican administration it has been more economically administered than it ever was in democratic days. Under the Peck administration for instance the average annual cost for each individual member of this commission was \$2,332; now notwithstanding the increased cost of living the average annual cost per individual member of this department for the year ending June 30, 1912, was \$1,812, or \$471 less than under the Peck administration. Notwithstanding these facts democratic orators are abroad in the land telling the people about the "fat jobs" now held by republican officers.

Why "The Interests" Howl
In the light of these facts, every one of which may be easily verified, what becomes of the criticism of this commission as unnecessary or serviceable merely as furnishing fat jobs for favorites of the administration?

The truth of the matter is that the men who criticize these commissions do not really object to the expense incurred in maintaining them. As a matter of fact they have not opposed any salary raise. It is a pretext merely. Their real grievance is that the men who compose these commissions are efficient and industrious in the enforcement of the law. There's the rub. Were these officials place seekers of parasites, no matter what the expense might be, no one word of objection would be made to them. But they are effective. They interfere with business. They enforce the law. They actually accomplish the purposes the people had in mind when this commission was established.

Hence, the Manufacturers' association wants them turned out of office and the democratic candidates are ready to abolish the whole department.

AD HAS THREE BIG BATTLES IN A MONTH

CADILLAC, Mich., Oct. 11.—Ad Wolgast is to emulate his performance of one year ago by boxing three opponents in less than thirty days. Wednesday morning he left for Philadelphia where on Oct. 16 he boxes Teddy Maloney six rounds. For this bout he trains at Representative Hutt's farm. On Nov. 4 he boxes Mandot at New Orleans, ten rounds. Thanksgiving day he will box any man of his weight before Jim Coffroth's club at San Francisco, going for twenty rounds.

A fool and her money frequently marry into the nobility. Sometimes silence is golden and sometimes it indicates guilt.

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Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

Where is it now?
That overcoat I threw away last spring.
Gee whiz! but I was tired of the thing.
I swore I'd ne'er would put it on again.
Its cut gave me a large three-cornered pain.
Twas worn around the cuffs and lapel, too.
The velvet collar was a fright to view.
Twas ready for the rag bag, with-out doubt;
When summer came I gladly threw it out.
I said I'd save my coin all summer and
Annex an overcoat that would be grand.
But now the chilly winds are almost here;
The blizzard of the winter time is near.
I've counted up my coin, alas, alack!
I wish that I could get that old coat back.

Three Letters Ahead

Some little girls were boasting of their respective families. They had passed from clothes to personal appearance, and finally came to parental dignity. The minister's little girl boasted:
"Every package that comes for my papa is marked 'D. D.'"
"And every package that comes for my mama is marked 'M. D.'," retorted the daughter of the physician.
Then followed a look of contempt from the youngest of the party.
"Every package that comes to our house has three letters on it—'C. O. D.'"

Curious to Learn

In Georgia they tell of a prisoner who had been convicted a dozen times of stealing, who, when placed at the bar for his latest offense, displayed a singular curiosity.
"Your honor," said he, "I should like to have my case postponed for a week. My lawyer is sick."
"But," the magistrate said, "you were caught with your hand in this gentleman's pocket. What can your counsel say in your defense?"
"Exactly so, your honor; that is what I am curious to know."—Green Bag.

She Was so Sure

A woman who may be called Mrs. Smith placed her umbrella against the counter at which she was making some purchases in a department store the other day, and when she finished picked it up and started away. At least that was the way it ran through her mind.
"Pardon me," said a strange woman, "but you have my umbrella."
"Oh, no," said Mrs. Smith, "that is my umbrella."
"Pardon me again," insisted the strange woman, "but it is mine."
"I guess I know my umbrella," said Mrs. Smith, beginning to show fight. "If you have lost your umbrella I am sorry, but I can't give you mine."
"Did you carry two umbrellas when you left home?" asked the stranger.
Then Mrs. Smith discovered that she had an umbrella in each hand and she surrendered.—Cleveland Press.

A Difference

George Ade, at a dinner in New York, urged a subtler use of words. "Use words with delicate care," he said. "Observe all their subtle distinctions. Never write 'vision,' for instance, 'when 'sight' is what you mean."
"There's no difference between 'sight' and 'vision,'" interrupted an editor.
"No?" said Mr. Ade. "And yet, 'Billy,' when you and I passed each other on Broadway yesterday afternoon, the girl I was with was a vision, while the one with you was a sight."

PERKINS FUNERAL THIS AFTERNOON

The funeral of E. G. Perkins, superintendent of the Southern Minnesota division of the C. M. & St. P., who died last Saturday, will be held this afternoon at 4 o'clock from the Congregational church, Rev. Henry Faville officiating. The services are to be in charge of the G. A. R. veterans.

HILL WRITES CHECK TO PURCHASE BANK

ST. PAUL, Oct. 11.—James J. Hill Wednesday purchased outright the Second National Bank of St. Paul, giving his personal check for \$1,240,000. Thursday noon the board of directors, meeting for that particular purpose, will officially transfer the property to Mr. Hill. The 4,000 stockholders will receive \$310 a share for their holdings.

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Women In Politics

TACOMA, Wash., Oct. 11.—Dr. Nena Jolidon Croake, suffragette, has been announced for the legislature in this state. Her platform's chief plank is pensions for bereaved or deserted mothers.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Women of New York plan to have public dance halls black list "bunny buggers," "turkey trotters" and other naughty-naughty dancers. A person barred from one by agreement would be barred from all.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The protection doll, dressed in home produced clothes, is the toy for children with which Miss Mary Francis of Women's Aid of the national republican committee hopes to oust the Teddy bear.

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Baroness Bertha von Suttner, a peace worker, and authoress, once Theodore Roosevelt's staunch friend, has gone back on him. She says he is a "swash buckling hero," and "like Faust, has two souls."

DENVER, Oct. 11.—Mrs. J. D. Fichtner, director of the women's bureau for the republican national committee, after several weeks spent in suffrage states declares the majority of the women in favor of Taft.

DENVER, Oct. 11.—Mrs. L. K. Cashion, one of New York's most prominent suffrage workers, is here to make a prolonged, first hand study of women's suffrage as it stands in Colorado.

CHINAMAN ARRESTED AS OPIUM SELLER

MINNEAPOLIS, Oct. 11.—Chon Hom, arrested last night by James W. McGinnis, internal revenue agent, faces a probable fine of \$5,000 and imprisonment not to exceed five years, for alleged illicit manufacture and sale of opium. A pound of the drug was found in Hom's place, which bears the outward signs of a hand laundry. The manufacture was conducted in the back room. Hom was arrested on a similar charge a few years ago and paid his fine.

NORTH DAKOTA IS STRUCK BY SNOW

GRAND FORKS, N. D., Oct. 11.—Snow and sleet fell in portions of North Dakota last night. At Wahalla snow fell all day. Pembina and Neche also report snow. Devils Lake had sleet, and Grand Forks had a fall of rain during the early part of the evening. Intermediate points also reported rain and sleet.

ENGINEER KILLED

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Oct. 11.—O. E. Schilder, Bellevue, Ohio, engineer, was killed when New York, Chicago & St. Louis passenger train No. 5 ran into the rear of a freight train near Leipsic in a dense fog early today. No one else was injured.

HOLD WHITE SLAVER

ST. PAUL, Minn., Oct. 11.—Richard Hillson, 27 years old, who claims to be a Russian, was arrested by Detective Fred Turner at 4 a. m. today at the Summit hotel, 337 Jackson street, on the charge of being engaged in white slave traffic.

The charge was made by an 18 year old Milwaukee girl.

Few men of prominence ever attract as much attention as an obscure woman crossing the street on a rainy day.

HE COMES UP SMILING

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CHAPTER XVI. A Thief in the Night.

Billy laughed a low, throaty gurgle, and laid her hand an instant on his sleeve. "Don't you see, she believed in God and she believed in you. You didn't go back on her. Would God?"

The Watermelon did not answer. He was busy with a scene of the long ago. He and the youngest Miss Martin had been engaged in a set-to which hardly savored of brotherly love, and parental authority had separated them and passed judgment.

"Sister should not have struck you," the mother said as she stood him grimly in the corner. "But, Jeroboam, you should not have deceived sister. If you men would only keep faith with your women, this world would be too good to leave, even for Heaven," she had added with her usual tired sigh.

How had he kept faith with Billy? The question stared him in the face and he felt like the child again, standing in the corner, unable to answer. For the sake of an amusing week of her society, he had practically betrayed her father, had branded himself a thief by keeping the clothes, the watch, the money, which he had taken wrongly, for a few hours' fun, but which he had intended to return. In the love he felt for the girl, his long-stifled conscience slowly stirred again.

Billy was talking, crooning her comfort with the maternity latent in all women for the men they love. "Don't you see, Jerry, there is a God? Think of what you did for your mother, think of how proud she was of you when you did so well. By sheer grit you have made yourself what you are. You are tired and blue tonight, poor old boy."

The Watermelon was not listening. He took a roll of bills from his pocket and counted them. Billy watched him in perplexity. Was he worrying over money, she wondered. One hundred and seventy-four dollars left. He had not had an opportunity to spend more of that roll of bills which he had betrayed a woman and lowered his manhood to steal. He crushed the bills back into his pocket and rose. "We had better go back," said he shortly. "It's late."

They found Henrietta and Bartlett on the front porch, talking in low voices, oblivious to all else. The general had long since sought the doubtful comfort of the country bed for city boarders.

Billy held out her hand to the Watermelon, a little ceremony she had heretofore neglected, wishing in her tender little heart that she understood his strange mood better and could comfort him.

"Good night," said she gently.

"Good night," said the Watermelon.

Henrietta rose. "I didn't know it was so late. Wait, Billy. I am coming with you. Good night, all."

Bartlett followed the girls, but at the door he stopped and glanced back at the Watermelon, standing on the grass by the steps.

"Better come to bed," said he.

The Watermelon nodded abstractedly and Bartlett went in, leaving him out there alone.

Without thinking of Billy other than as a pretty girl with whom to flirt, moved by the mischief of the

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moment, he had placed her father financially at the mercy of his enemy. And now to right the wrong to Billy, the only thing he could do would be to tell them who he was, a tramp, masquerading with decent people in his stolen finery. Petty thieving, the sharp tricks of the road, had passed quickly from his conscience, but this was different. A woman had been thrown into the bargain, the woman he loved, and Henrietta and the general trusted him. Bartlett deserved all he got, and Bachelore he dismissed with the comforting conviction that he was doing him a good turn. But Billy, Henrietta and the general. A wry smile twisted the Watermelon's mouth as he thought of the horror on the general's face when he learned that he had spent the week in company of a nameless hobo. For a while he contemplated hurling away the watch along with the rest of the "hard-ware" and stealing away in the dark, hitting the trail again and catching up with Mike and James on their annual pilgrimage north. He drew the bills from his pocket and thought of all Bartlett would lose if he crept away without explaining, and Bartlett was Billy's father.

He heard a step on the porch and

turned to see Billy hesitating in the doorway. "Jerry," she whispered softly and glanced behind her as though fearful of seeing her father or Henrietta peering at her over the banisters.

He went toward her, the bills still in his hand. "Billy," said he, thrusting the money into his pocket, "what are you doing at this time of night?" And he looked down at her tenderly in the dark where the hall lamp could not reveal his face.

Billy hesitated. She had seen the bills again and knew that he was worried. To worry over money matters was an unknown experience to Billy. She felt a delicacy in mentioning her errand.

"I—I came to see if the moon had set," she faltered.

"It's set," said the Watermelon.

"Well," said Billy, "then I will go back."

"Good night," said the Watermelon.

"Good night," said Billy, and lingered.

Then she laid her hand on his arm and spoke in a rush. "Oh, Jerry, please don't worry. If you want any money, father has heaps. You can have all you want."

(To be Continued)

THE FUTURE STATESMAN.



Dippy Dope

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OF STONE IS THE WALL PAPER?
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MINISTERS DECLINE

FEWER PROTESTANT PASTORS ARE GRADUATED BY THE UNIVERSITIES OF THE COUNTRY

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—A remarkable decline in the number of protestant ministers graduated from the universities of the country is shown in a current report of the United States bureau of education.

"It is plain," says the report, "that educated men no longer seek the cloth as they did when the nation was younger. It may mean much or little that the percentage of ministers among the graduates of typical colleges has declined from 60 to 70 per cent to less than 10 per cent."

An Appeal to Wives

You know the terrible affliction that comes to many homes from the result of a drinking husband or son. You know of the money wasted on "Drink" that is needed in the home to purchase food and clothing. ORRINE has saved thousands of drinking men. It is a home treatment and can be given secretly. Your money will be refunded if, after a trial, it has failed to benefit. Costs only \$1.00 a box. Come in and get a free booklet and let us tell you of the good ORRINE is doing. O. T. Erhart, 518 Main street.—Advertisement.

WHEAT AVERAGES HIGH THIS YEAR

ST. PAUL, Oct. 11.—According to latest reports received by the state immigration department wheat has averaged 18.06 bushels to the acre in thirty-eight counties reporting yields. Other yields reported are: Oats, 46.29; corn, 43.2; barley, 33.21; rye, 26.24; flax, 12.24. Thirty-four counties report potatoes are running 163.28 bushels to the acre and thirty-one counties report the yield of hay 2.9 tons to the acre.

C. P. Bull, professor of agronomy at the Minnesota college of agriculture reports the production of corn in the state to be approximately 100,000,000 bushels. The average has increased between five and ten per cent.

ALLEGED FORGER IN FEDERAL COURT

J. Linden, Superior, Wis., was arraigned in United States District court this afternoon on a charge of forging a United States money order which was addressed to a man named Lund. According to Linden's der which was addressed to a man the letter which contained the money order was written in Norwegian and he having recently come from Sweden thought it might be from a Norwegian friend. He was unable to read Norwegian. Linden later discovered the letter was not for him and is said to have returned the money. He cashed the money order three years ago.

LAPLANDERS OBJECT

STOCKHOLM, Oct. 11.—The Laplanders are peeved over the inquisitive behavior of American and other tourists who visit their country. Accordingly, a notice, in several languages, has been posted in the districts most frequented by travelers, as follows:

"Dear Tourist: What would you say if an unknown individual, without asking your permission or even knocking at your door, pushed his way into your home, made himself comfortable on your sofa, peered at everything, rummaged everywhere, laughed at your domestic arrangements, asked how much money you have, wished to interest himself in your love affairs, and seized hold of your children to photograph them?"

"What would you do with such an unmannerly intruder?"

"But there are certain tourists who treat the Laplanders in this fashion. They enter their tents without embarrassment, handle or point at everything, ridicule everything, and ask the Laplanders how many reindeer they have—which is the same as asking other people for details of their incomes."

"The Laplanders are human beings and not menagerie animals."

The straight and narrow path doesn't look good to the rounder.

It is human nature to call the bad part of the world "they" and the good part "we."

Even when a man knows he is unworthy of the woman he wants to marry, he is willing to take chances.

Some women never realize the worth of their husbands, and some others never realize the worthlessness thereof.

There is little doubt that the young die good.

And it might be well to take a course in physical training before you start out to show a man the error of his ways.

HAVE AIR RAILWAYS

SWITZERLAND INAUGURATES A SYSTEM OF AERIAL TRANSPORTATION TO MOUNTAIN TOPS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Switzerland has just inaugurated an aerial railway for the transportation of passengers over precipitous places in the mountains, according to a report to the state department by Consul General Mansfield at Zurich. Several of these roads are now in operation, and the demands of tourists, who want comfort in the ascent and descent of mountains, and who enjoy the novelty and sensations experienced in scaling the heights in cars carried through the air on cables, are encouraging the construction of aerial routes over some of the most difficult places in the Alps. Heretofore aerial railways have been used only for military and industrial purposes.

Many Swiss people who love their mountains and enjoy the beauty and grandeur of the Alpine scenery regard these innovations with disfavor, claiming that they detract from the charm which the creator gave to the great heights and the glaciers.

DON'T LIKE MUSIC

LONDON, Oct. 11.—London doesn't like Futurist music any better than it does Futurist art. When Sir Henry Wood, England's most popular orchestra conductor, introduced some of the new freak compositions of Arnold Schoenberg at Queen's hall the big audience laughed. A few sympathetic souls started to applaud but their feeble efforts were drowned in hisses. The alleged music, as described in the program, "abounds in discords and chromatic scales, while naturals and flats and naturals and sharps clash in all directions."

This Girl Recovered From Consumption

The makers of Eckman's Alternative, which is doing so much good for Consumptives, are continually in receipt of wonderful reports of recoveries brought about solely through the use of this medicine. These reports are always at the command of any one interested, and many of the writers in their gratitude have suggested that like sufferers write direct and learn what it did for them. Here is one specimen:

421 Second Ave., Aurora, Ill.

"Gentlemen: Pardon me for not writing sooner, but I wanted to see if I would stay cured. I can now truthfully say I am perfectly well. I wish to express my heartfelt thanks. I have no pain, no cough, no night sweats, no hay fever. Since a child of two years, I have been ailing with lung trouble, which grew worse as I grew older. At the age of fourteen, the doctor said if I could not be sent South I would surely die of Consumption. Every winter I would be sure to have either Bronchitis, Pleurisy or Pneumonia. I had Typhoid-Pneumonia one time. I had catarrh of the stomach and bowels and had Hay Fever for the last few years; but have not anything of the kind this year."

"I will answer all letters sent to me, asking a history of my case, from any one suffering with lung trouble."

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(Five years later reports still well.)

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BETTER TEACHERS IS RURAL NEED

State Board of Public Affairs Declares Requirements Should Be Raised

OUTLINES PROPER PROGRAM

Progressive Policy of Advancing Qualifications of All Candidates Is Urged

- The State Board of Public Affairs in a statement issued today says:
- "That qualifications for obtaining teachers' certificates be raised.
- (a) After January 1, 1915, ninth and tenth grade work should be required before taking the six weeks professional course.
- (b) After January 1, 1917, graduation from a training school or department shall be required.
- (c) After January 1, 1919, ninth and tenth grade work should be required as entrance qualifications to training schools.

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 11.—Teachers in rural schools fail to teach pupils to read intelligently. This is due to the fact that many teachers rely on a six weeks professional course to train them for their work. On the other hand, the board of public affairs points out that graduates of the county training schools were much more effective in teaching reading than the teacher who had no training.

Methods a Help

The board says, "Those who had graduated from the New Richmond high school training department were unusually strong and effective in their teaching due to the fact that in this school unusual care is taken to teach their students methods in teaching reading and primary work generally."

The case for trained teachers seems well established. A well informed person says that at least one thousand young girls of common school education are annually facing their first school practically without training. To bring about, therefore, the much needed improvement in the quality of teaching in our rural schools, the state board of public affairs recommends that all candidates for teachers' certificates after January 1, 1915 shall have finished at least the first two high school years before taking the six weeks professional course. To provide for a further gradual improvement in the quality of the teacher, it is proposed to require all candidates between January 1, 1917 and January 1, 1919 to be graduates of a training school or department. After 1919, the first two high school years are required as the entrance qualifications to the training school.

Would Lower Supply

It is explained that while all the teachers should have the qualifications stated last, it is impossible to secure them without cutting off an adequate supply of teachers for the next few years. The change is made gradual, first two years high school work and six weeks professional course, then graduation from a training school department and finally the first two high school years and training school graduation, so as to prevent this shortage of teachers. The time will come, no doubt, when Wisconsin will be willing to go beyond any of these standards and require, as they do in some eastern states, high school graduation and two years professional training.

STEADY NERVES

A Priceless Possession but Impossible When the Blood Is Out of Order.

If you are nervous, always tired out and run down, impure blood is probably the cause. If you are pale, sleepless, irritable, have no ambition, suffer from headaches and backaches, you may be certain that the blood is at fault. Impure blood does more to hasten disease, unfit you for work and shorten life than anything else.

The man or woman whose blood is filled with impurities should remember that good, pure blood means health. Through the aid of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People health is within your reach. They go straight to the blood, cleansing it of all impurities and giving it the elements which it lacks. For a good appetite, healthy color, health and strength, they have no equal. What these pills will do when given a thorough trial is shown in the case of Mr. George A. Herriek, of No. 57 Clarendon street, Boston, Mass., who says: "I recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People because they helped me when nothing else did. I was taken sick and called a doctor. He said I was all run down. He doctored me for six weeks or more, but I did not improve. I had no ambition or life. My appetite was poor and I was weak and could not work. I suffered from headaches, had no color and my heart action was very poor."

"I was so nervous that the slightest thing annoyed me and so cold most of the time that I almost froze. I could hardly walk down town. A friend called me to the telephone one day and asked me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People. Out of curiosity I bought a box. In a short time I began to improve and soon was back at work. My gain was almost beyond belief. Now I enjoy better health than I ever have and can stand exposure and hard work. I believe they are the greatest blood-builder and nerve tonic there is." For anemia, chlorosis, rheumatism, after-effects of the grip and fever, stomach trouble and all forms of general debility, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for Pale People should be given a thorough trial. A booklet, "Building Up the Blood," which is free upon request, will show what these pills have done.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists, or by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box; six boxes \$2.50, by the Dr. Williams-Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

ADVICE TO STAY HOME

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 11.—"Don't go west young man! Stay at home and grow up with the country."

This is one of the leading statements made in a bulletin just issued by the Wisconsin state board of immigration, that completely reverses the advice of Horace Greeley. The bulletin is designed to explain fruit growing in Wisconsin.

"If you have enough money to pay fancy prices for sage brush land in the far west and a promise of water when the irrigation ditch is finished, if you want to be three thousand miles from a market, go west by all means; you are a speculator anyway and Wisconsin has no need of speculators," quotes the bulletin.

"If on the other hand you have only a little money, good horse sense, plenty of ambition, a stout heart, hardened muscles and a clever wife, stay in Wisconsin—we need you."

Hearing Bad?

Don't risk deafness! Get a 25c or 50c tube of Kondon's, the original and genuine Catarrhal Jelly. Use it as directed and note the beneficial result. Kondon's brings instant relief by removing the germs of catarrh—by soothing the inflamed membrane, by healing the raw places. Sold by nearly every druggist. Sample FREE from KONDON MFG. CO., Minneapolis, Minn.

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We are especially well prepared this fall to meet every demand in Fall Shoes. We were especially fortunate in getting our stocks early and are ready to fulfill every desire.

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BREAK MINE STRIKE

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah, Oct. 11. Officers of the Western Federation of Miners are conferring here today following the resumption of work at the Bingham mines of the Utah Copper company with strikebreakers. Though only 100 strikebreakers were at work today, company officials announced that the number

would be increased at once. Four hundred deputy sheriffs are on guard about the mines. They report no serious trouble.

Poor pupils are popular with music teachers. It takes them so much longer to learn. The theatrical manager isn't the only man who spends his money to make a show.

FOR DANDRUFF, FALLING HAIR OR ITCHY SCALP—25 CENT "DANDERINE"

Save your hair! Danderine destroys dandruff and stops falling hair at once—Grows hair, we prove it.

If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous you must use Danderine, because nothing else accomplishes so much for the hair.

Just one application of Knowlton's Danderine will double the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff; you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the

hair roots famish, loosen and die; then the hair falls out fast. If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, don't hesitate, but get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made. We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine. If eventually—why not now? A 25 cent bottle will truly amaze you. —Advertisement.

ASKS COURT TO MAKE GIRL WED

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 11.—Adolph Schendel, Billings, Mich., wants the Milwaukee Circuit court to help him out in his love affairs. Mr. Schendel, in a letter filled with legal phraseology, asks that some action be taken to compel Miss Emma P. Vogel, 1040 Fifth street, Milwaukee, join him in holy matrimony.

Schendel says if he can't get the girl he wants \$5,000 for his trouble and disappointment. He says she promised to marry him on July 10, 1911, but when he reached her home armed with a marriage license, she refused, but said she would see about it later.

REPUBLICANS TO ELECT

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 11.—There will be a meeting of the republican state central committee at the republican house Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. At this meeting a secretary and treasurer will be elected. The vacancy caused by the resignation of Clem P. Host as elector in the Fifth district also will be filled.

A dyed mustache is seldom successful in fooling anyone except the man who wears it. It's all right to look out for number one, but many a man has lost his sight that way.

TELLS STORY OF BOB'S BETRAYAL

Wisconsin Statesman Declares Colonel Held Back Until He Thought He Had Chance

HELD BACK AT THE START

La Follette Magazine Says T. R. Urged Senator to Run and Then Grabbed the Prize

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 11. — The story of how Roosevelt betrayed La Follette in the race for the presidential nomination is told in this week's issue of La Follette's Weekly Magazine. Last week's chapter only laid the foundation. According to Senator La Follette, Roosevelt urged him to lead the progressive cause, and then when he saw La Follette's candidacy was succeeding, he undermined it in order to grab the nomination for himself. After the colonel's tour of the west, early in 1911, writes La Follette, Roosevelt decided that the progressives should put forth a candidate against Taft. Gilson Gardner, the newspaper correspondent, came to La Follette, bearing this message from Roosevelt: "That I (La Follette) should be that candidate, and that I should get into the fight at once."

Bob Natural Leader La Follette, said the colonel, was the natural leader of the progressives, for he had done the pioneer work. Roosevelt could not—so the message ran—openly advocate La Follette's candidacy against Taft, but he would commend La Follette's work in the Outlook and help as he could, from time to time.

About October, 1911, a friend of Roosevelt's was held in Washington. All agreed that they should unite on a candidate, to concentrate the movement.

"There is but one man who should be considered," said Senator Cummins, "and that is Senator La Follette." Cummins, the senator adds, pledged him his own support.

La Follette, however, hesitated. "I estimated my own worth to the progressive cause too highly," he says, "to consent to being used as a candidate for a time and then to serve ulterior purpose, conveniently broken and cast upon the scrap heap, my ability to serve the progressive cause seriously damaged, and possibly the movement itself diverted and subordinated to mere personal ambition."

He feared that the movement might be "shifted for political expediency to some other candidate." He believed that, as the campaign advanced and Taft's weakness was revealed, "either Cummins or Roosevelt, or perhaps both, might then be tempted to thrust in, thus dividing progressive strength and defeating real progress."

About October, 1911, a friend of Roosevelt's, who, up to this time had been for La Follette, visited Oyster Bay. Returning he went to the senator and reported.

Disappoints Colonel "Roosevelt is not only surprised at the development of your candidacy, but he is disappointed as well," He added, says La Follette, "Roosevelt wants to be president again but you know it has heretofore been his judgment that Taft could not be beaten." Roosevelt now seemed to consider La Follette in the way.

Then came a conference of Pinchot and others with Roosevelt, as a result of which La Follette was informed that Roosevelt would not make a public announcement to that effect; that La Follette should go ahead, and if he could not win the nomination in the convention, then Roosevelt might possibly step in as a candidate; but meantime "the wires should not be crossed."

The wires, however, seem to have got badly crossed. According to La Follette, they crossed even in his headquarters at Washington, where Medill McCormick—so he charges—after volunteering his services, side-tracked an important article telling of La Follette's record, intended for campaign distribution, and tried to send out, instead, an article written by himself boomer Roosevelt. The senator gives many instances of alleged betrayal.

A miserly man seldom makes any trouble for his wife because of other women. Trace back your family tree far enough and you'll find a wood chopper.

GRAY HAIR RESTORED

This Simple Home Remedy Darkens It Beautifully

There is no longer any reason why any person with gray hair should not remove this annoying sign of age and remain in the youthful-looking class; and the best part of it is that one does not have to depend upon the prepared dyes and stains to bring about the desired change. A simple preparation which gradually darkens gray hair, making it soft and glossy and perfectly natural in color and appearance, can be made from an ounce of bay rum, a quarter ounce of glycerine and a small box of Barbo Compound, procurable at any drug store. Dissolve the Barbo Compound in 7 ounces of water, then add the bay rum and glycerine and you will have an excellent remedy for dandruff and other humors of the scalp. It also acts as a tonic to the hair follicles, is not sticky, does not rub off or color the scalp, and is both cheap and highly satisfactory in every way. Make sure you are getting the Barbo Compound. If the druggist hasn't it in stock, ask him to get it for you.

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MRS STRATHEARN STATE CLUB HEAD

Kaukauna Woman Is Elected President by the Federation at Janesville

JANESVILLE, Wis., Oct. 11.—Mrs. J. A. Strathearn, Kaukauna, was elected president of the Wisconsin Federation of Women's clubs Thursday morning at the annual meeting held here. She was opposed by Mrs. W. P. Leek, Racine. The vote was 180 to 53. Other officers were elected as follows:

First vice president—Mrs. A. F. Rote, Monroe.
Second vice president—Mrs. L. D. Harvey, Menomonie.
Recording secretary—Mrs. J. S. Wadsworth, River Falls.
Corresponding secretary—Mrs. Ben Hooper, Oshkosh.
Treasurer—Mrs. J. W. Hobbins, Madison.
Auditor—Mrs. A. H. Schumacher, Eau Claire.
General federation secretary—Mrs. William H. Crosby, Racine.
District vice presidents were elected as follows: First, Mrs. E. O. Kinsman, Whitewater; second, Mrs. H. M. Knowlton, Waterloo; third, Miss Mary Connor, Windsor; fourth, Mrs. C. E. Estabrook, Milwaukee; fifth, no nomination; sixth, Mrs. R. H. Edwards, Oshkosh; seventh, Mrs. F. M. Hart, Tomah; eighth, Mrs. Anna Lathrop, Marshfield; ninth, Mrs. Louise Pinkley, Green Bay; tenth, Mrs. M. L. Frawley, Eau Claire; eleventh, Mrs. Thomas Barden, Ashland.

NEGRO MARRIES A WHITE WOMAN

KENOSHA, Wis., Oct. 11.—Charles Jones, a colored musician of Chicago, followed the path of Jack Johnson, the pugilistic champion, Wednesday, when he was married to Miss Pearl Perkins, a white woman, who gave her residence as Chicago. When the couple went to Judge Randall to have the ceremony performed the judge remonstrated with the bride, but with a toss of her nose she informed the judge that she thought she was old enough to know just who she wanted to marry.

AGED WOMAN HOMESTEADER FORT LUPTON, Col., Oct. 11.—Though 84 years old, Mrs. Betsy Jones has just secured her final papers on her homestead here. She is believed to be the oldest homesteader in the country.

A simple minded man isn't always foolish.

WASHINGTON AWAKES

NATIONAL CAPITAL BEGINS TO SHOW SIGNS OF LIFE AFTER SUMMER OF QUIET

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—The national capital's aristocratic residence section is just beginning to show signs of awakening from a four months' sleep, with the return to the city of the vanguard of social leaders who have been summering in the mountains, at the seashore and abroad. Washington's bon-ton section during the summer months is the most deserted and gloomy of any city in the country. Palatial residences along Connecticut and Massachusetts avenues for miles are boarded up and guarded while the owners retire to the summer homes in cooler climates. Many of the residences of the multi-millionaires, such as Thomas R. Walsh, John R. McLean, Larz Anderson, are occupied probably about two months each year.

An unusual demand this season for large residences for occupancy permanently or for the coming social season is reported by real estate dealers here.

ISSUE SCHOOL PLAN

STATE BOARD OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS PREPARES PROGRAM OF CONSTRUCTION FOR RURAL TEACHERS

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 11.—As a result of an investigation including a general examination of conditions in 27 counties in widely separated portions of the state and upon a more detailed examination of conditions in 131 schools in 13 counties the state board of public affairs has issued a constructive program for rural schools. This recommends increased state aid for rural schools, a gradual raising of qualifications of teachers, a system of agricultural teaching in rural schools, a careful supervision of the expenditure of school moneys in the various districts of the state and an elective county board of education and an appointive county superintendent.

Some men's only idea in having a pull is to apply it to other fellows' legs. Nailing a lie won't always keep it down.

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JUST because a shoe is smart and stylish—it need not be uncomfortable. La France Shoes are the leaders of Fashion—yet they are comfortable and easy. Try them—in the house—in the office.



Say you want No. 2446—a 14-button Gun Metal Boot. The proper thing for street and semi-dress.

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CLOAK SALE

Great reduction sale on new Fall Cloaks for Saturday only.

\$10.00 Cloaks at\$9.00
\$15.00 Cloaks at\$13.50
\$20.00 Cloaks at\$18.00

Big Values in Children's Cloaks.

Dresses

Saturday we place on sale all our ladies' serge dresses, this fall's styles, at\$5.95 and \$9.50

Underwear

This is underwear time. Come and see the grand line at the low prices we sell them.

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SATURDAY We GIVE AWAY \$5.00 in Merchandise.

Raincoats

Another lot of rain coats in all sizes, at only\$2.95

Millinery

Buyers are pleased with the good styles and low prices. They come back with their friends. Saturday we are going to please every hat buyer. We will sell \$7.00 and \$8.00 Hats at the low price of\$4.89

Ladies' Street Hats

Just arrived a grand lot of Hats, on sale Saturday at only\$2.95

HAT BARGAINS SATURDAY

SAYS PRIVILEGE IS NEVER ASLEEP

(Continued from Page One.)

sage of the measure. He mentioned some of the men who fought the measure by buttonholing legislators. Among them, he said, were Col. Brumder, Milwaukee, who inherited one of the largest estates ever left in Wisconsin; Joseph Uihlein, head of the Schlitz Brewing company and one of the owners of that concern. The Merchants and Manufacturers' association of Milwaukee had a lobbyist in the capitol, he said, as did every other organization of Big Business.

"They were fighting it for one reason and that was that they, under its provisions, were to be forced to pay their just portion of taxes," he said.

In regard to the Second Choice primary election law the speaker said:

"Another plank of the democratic platform promises the repeal of the Second Choice law. Like the other planks of that platform, this declaration rests neither on principle or conviction. In introducing this plank to their platform they were prompted solely by the belief that because the Second Choice law was not generally understood or used by the voters at the last primary election it was therefore unpopular and would not prove a vote getting attraction."

"I want to say that if they repeal the Second Choice law they will destroy one of the most effective instruments yet devised for vitalizing and giving effect to the will of the people. The monstrosity of this proposition could be exceeded only by a proposal to repeal the primary election law."

Administration Not Extravagant
In regard to the charges that the administration has been extravagant the speaker declared that the democratic claims are about as substantial as the scoldings of an irascible old grandmother. The question to be considered along with the amount of money expended, he argued, is whether or not the taxpayer gets his money's worth in the way of efficient government. He again reviewed the fact that with the advance of civilization abuses practiced upon one class of people by another multiplied and he maintained that it was absolutely necessary to make laws to cope with present day conditions and to create commissions with power to

enforce these laws. After reviewing the good work done by the state dairy and food commission, the speaker maintained that to abolish the commission would reduce taxes paid by the citizens about one and one-half cents per thousand, making the total paid for taxes to state government about thirty-eight and one-half cents instead of forty cents per thousand.

Commissions raised
The railroad and industrial commissions were also reviewed by Senator Owen who claimed that these bodies do more for the interests of the people of the state than any thing heretofore conceived. He cited numerous instances where both of the commissions have effected savings for the citizens and illustrated where the people have been benefited in other ways because of the powers vested in the commissions.

His resume of state government was in itself convincing proof of his arguments that the state today is being run better than ever in its history, that the administration is economical of public funds and that the benefits derived by the people from the various departments are greater than ever before.

Senator Owen left at noon today for Holmen where he is to deliver an address at 2 o'clock this afternoon and at 8 o'clock this evening will speak at Mindoro.

\$10,000 WORTH OF FURS IN WINDOW

The Komiss-Robertson company has assembled one of the costliest and finest fur exhibits for their windows that has ever been seen here, the furs which are being shown being valued at \$10,000. So valuable is the exhibit that two secret service operatives have been engaged to guard the windows day and night against robbery or theft. The finest furs are on exhibition in the Komiss-Robertson store, and in one window alone there is \$3,000 worth of furs of all kinds, including Hudson seal, Scotch mole, Cliv cats, American beaver, red foxes, etc. These furs are to be on exhibition today and tomorrow, and the exhibit is one which it is an education to see. Filled with these costly furs, the window makes a beautiful display, such as has probably never been seen here before.

CATS AND DOGS DO TRAPEZE STUNTS

Herman's Aerial Animals Are Features of Week's Majestic Program

Every act on the bill closing the week at the Majestic Theater is a good one and the large audience which witnessed the performance applauded roundly last evening.

Herman's aerial cats and dogs put on an act which is high class in every way. The difficult stunts which are gone through by the animals are performed in a faultless manner. Trapeze work and all kinds of jumping with many other feats, some of which have never been seen here before, go to make up an act of great class.

Good comedy intermingled with some clever dancing forms the features of the act presented by Nevins and Erwood. They received a great round of applause for their act entitled "The Coal Man and the Maid." The audience is kept in a constant uproar by the antics of the coal man. He is ably assisted by his partner.

A Fourth Ward Romance is the title of a playlet, staged by Janet Louder and company, which holds the interest of the audience from start to finish. Miss Louder plays the role of Kitty Flannagan, fiancée of Fred Bigelow. His parents do not wish their son to marry her because she is poor and below his rank. The many humorous situations arise when Mr. and Mrs. Bigelow visit Miss Flannagan to discourage their son's attentions to her.

A high class singing, talking and dancing act is presented by the Two Modern Girls. The good music combined with clever dancing and new jokes made an instant hit at last night's performance.

Mons Tenderhoia is a wonderfully well developed athlete who is billed as a novelty equilibrist and the feats which he performs are both new and extremely difficult. His unusual strength is emphasized many times in his work on the rings.

The show is opened with two good comedy reels of moving pictures while a war drama entitled Saved From Court Martial, closes the performance.

DOHERTY PRAISES WILLIAM J. BRYAN

Local Democrat at Holmen Meeting Says the Bryan Forces Are in Control of the Party

WOLFE ATTACKS JOHN J. ESCH

Says Republican Congressman Is No More Progressive than James A. Tawney

(By Staff Correspondent)

"You are all democrats. You may not have that party label, but every one of you believe in the principles of the democratic party and advocate the same things we were advocating in 1896. The trouble in the republican party, which is disrupting the organization, is that they are trying to make it over on democratic lines and still keep the republican label. Senator La Follette, the leader of the republican party in this state, is a thorough democrat in principle, and he would have been a thousand times better off and could have accomplished more for progressivism if he had come over to our ranks."

The foregoing declaration was made by John F. Doherty at a democratic rally at Holmen last night. Besides Mr. Doherty, W. F. Coffland, Viroqua, and A. C. Wolfe spoke.

Eulogizes Bryan

Mr. Doherty in his speech delivered a eulogy of William J. Bryan that brought a round of applause. He declared that Bryan had but to accept and he would have been nominated again at Baltimore. He told of Bryan's fight against the bosses and his defiance of Tammany at the convention, and declared that it is Bryan and Bryan principles that Woodrow Wilson stands for. He added that the Commoner would undoubtedly be given a high post in Wilson's cabinet if he would accept.

Mr. Doherty said that Wilson is the proper man to lead the people in this civil crisis. He maintained the democratic candidate has more experience and knowledge of government than any other person in the country, and said he was a recognized authority on statesmanship. He went over the governor's record and told of his defeat of the bosses in New Jersey.

Mr. Doherty took up the state campaign briefly, confining his talk largely to allegations of republican extravagance. He added that there should be a change if for no other reason than that republicans have been in power long enough. He also took a fling at the University of Wisconsin as a "political machine."

W. F. Coffland, Viroqua, candidate for congress against John J. Esch, took up national issues, and only touched upon his candidacy toward the latter part of his address. He declared that while Mr. Esch was a man of personally high character, he was not entitled to re-election because of his record. He insisted that John J. Esch's votes on several matters in congress were open to question as being progressive.

Wolfe Attacks Esch

Albert Wolfe took up local issues, and delivered a hot tirade against Congressman Esch.

"Mr. Esch seems to think," Mr. Wolfe said, "that the protective tariff policy is a sacred thing, and that it is right that we should have a favored few at the expense of the many in this country. John J. Esch is as progressive as Jim Tawney, who was defeated in Minnesota largely because Otto Rosshard, Tom Morris and others went into the first district and stumped against him. If these local progressives were consistent they ought to work as hard against Esch as they did against Tawney."

There was an audience of more than fifty people at the meeting. E. J. Kneen, David Law, C. C. Hamilton, John Webber, Bert Jolivet and William Garbers attended the rally from La Crosse.

WOMAN OF 23 WEDS MAN OF 62

Leaning upon the arm of her 62 year old fiancée, Miss Myrtle Olson, age 23, today entered the office of the county clerk and requested a license for the marriage of George A. Billings and herself. Judge John Brindley performed the ceremony in his private office a few moments later while court house officials, among whom the news of the unique wedding had spread, congregated without, awaiting a glimpse of the happy pair. Following the wedding they left for Lake City, Minn., the home of the bride.

MUSIC ORDINANCE IS VOTED DOWN

Music of any kind will not be tolerated in the saloons of La Crosse if the recommendation of the committee on license other than liquor is adopted at tonight's meeting of the city council. At a meeting of the committee last night the proposition of permitting saloons to install music boxes upon payment of a \$100 license annually, was brought up, but the committee decided to recommend that the council refuse to adopt the resolution.

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LA CROSSE THIRD AT THE FINISH

Carl Ogden's Campaign Puts Wausau Y. M. C. A. at the Top of the List

BOOSTER BANQUETS PLANNED

800 Members Expected to Be Enrolled Here by November 1; to Be Banner Year

Final standing Inter-City Series:
Wausau 678
Eau Claire 677
La Crosse 641
Fond du Lac 541

In a driving finish last night Wausau held first place in the Inter-city series of the Y. M. C. A. membership campaign by one point. Eau Claire made a hard fight to get first place but was nosed out at the wire. La Crosse finished in the same place she started, third, and while the campaign among the cities is finished they will continue until their goal has been reached. The same campaign methods used in the other three cities was not used here, as it has been against the policy of the association to use the other methods. The work here has been carried on by the simple but systematic plan of having the work divided up amongst the membership and by quiet solicitation secure the membership for the coming year. It has succeeded admirably in the past and the results this year indicate that the coming year will be as has been planned, the banner year in the local work. As soon as each department has completed its portion of the work assigned the booster banquets, to which all who have secured two members for the coming year will be admitted, will be held. The work before each department is as follows: Business Men's club, 30 new members; Senior department, 57 new members; Intermediate department, 10 new members and the Junior department, 26 new members. It is anticipated that by Nov. 1 the membership will reach the 800 mark.

BOSSHARD RETURNS FROM AUTO TRIP

State Senator Otto Bosshard returned last night from an automobile trip to Lexington, Kentucky. The other members of the party, Carl F. Mitchell, Herman Kline, Percy Bentley and R. Humbolt, continued the trip to Louisville and will go to French Lick next week before they return to La Crosse. The party's itinerary took them through Madison, Chicago, Springfield, Indianapolis, Cincinnati, Dayton and Lexington. They attended the races in the last city. According to Mr. Bosshard today northern Indiana appears to be fostering an overwhelming sentiment for Roosevelt, while the Wilson supporters seem to predominate in Ohio, Kentucky and Illinois.

Do you remember your first watch? How proud you were—how you rejoiced in its possession? That identical sensation of joy can be imparted to your children at trifling expense. Nickel watches, silver watches, for boys and girls—and gold watches, too. Good timekeepers—pretty—moderately priced. A watch hospital and skilled surgeons to mend the breaks.

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MAJESTIC BUILDING

HAVE MUCH FUN AT CALEDONIA

La Crosse Excursionists Warmly Greeted by Minnesota Neighbors at County Fair

RAIN ALL THE MORNING

But the Host City and Its Visitors Proceed with Program; Spirits Not Dampened

(By Staff Correspondent)

CALEDONIA, Minn., Oct. 11.—Notwithstanding a drizzling rain enthusiasm attended the La Crosse Board of Trade excursion to the Houston county fair here today. Over one hundred and fifty excursionists made merry on the excursion train, and joined with zest in the ceremonies upon arriving in this city.

Andre's band filed onto the depot platform at La Crescent, Reno, and Brownsville, serenading the townspeople. We arrived here simultaneously with the train from the west bringing a large delegation, and the two parties joined forces and followed the Spring Grove, Caledonia and La Crosse bands to the new city hall, Mayor T. A. Beddow and J. A. Heymann, president of the Commercial club, leading the procession.

At the city hall Mr. Heymann introduced John Utermoehl, secretary of the La Crosse Board of Trade, to whom on behalf of Caledonia he presented a huge "key to the city."

Mr. Utermoehl delivered an address on behalf of the La Crosse delegation. Other speakers were C. J. Wheaton, Rev. Alfred Johnson, of Spring Grove and Congressman Sydney Anderson.

The baseball game was declared off because of the rain, but the fair visitors declined to let the drizzle interfere with their pleasure and entered into the various events with high spirits. The train is due in La Crosse on the return at 5:50.

THROWS CORNCOB AT GIRL; WARRANT OUT

Because he threw a corn cob at six year old Wilhelmina Seller while she was playing in the yard of the town of Shelby school yesterday, a warrant on a charge of assault was sworn out in the office of District Attorney James Thompson today against Henry Meinertz. The warrant was sworn out by Herman Pammell, one of the members of the Shelby school board. It is said that trouble has been brewing for several years between the Seller and Meinertz families and today's action is not the first time their differences reached the courts. It is said that the quarrel is of such long standing that its cause is not absolutely clear to either side of the feud.

CARD OF THANKS.

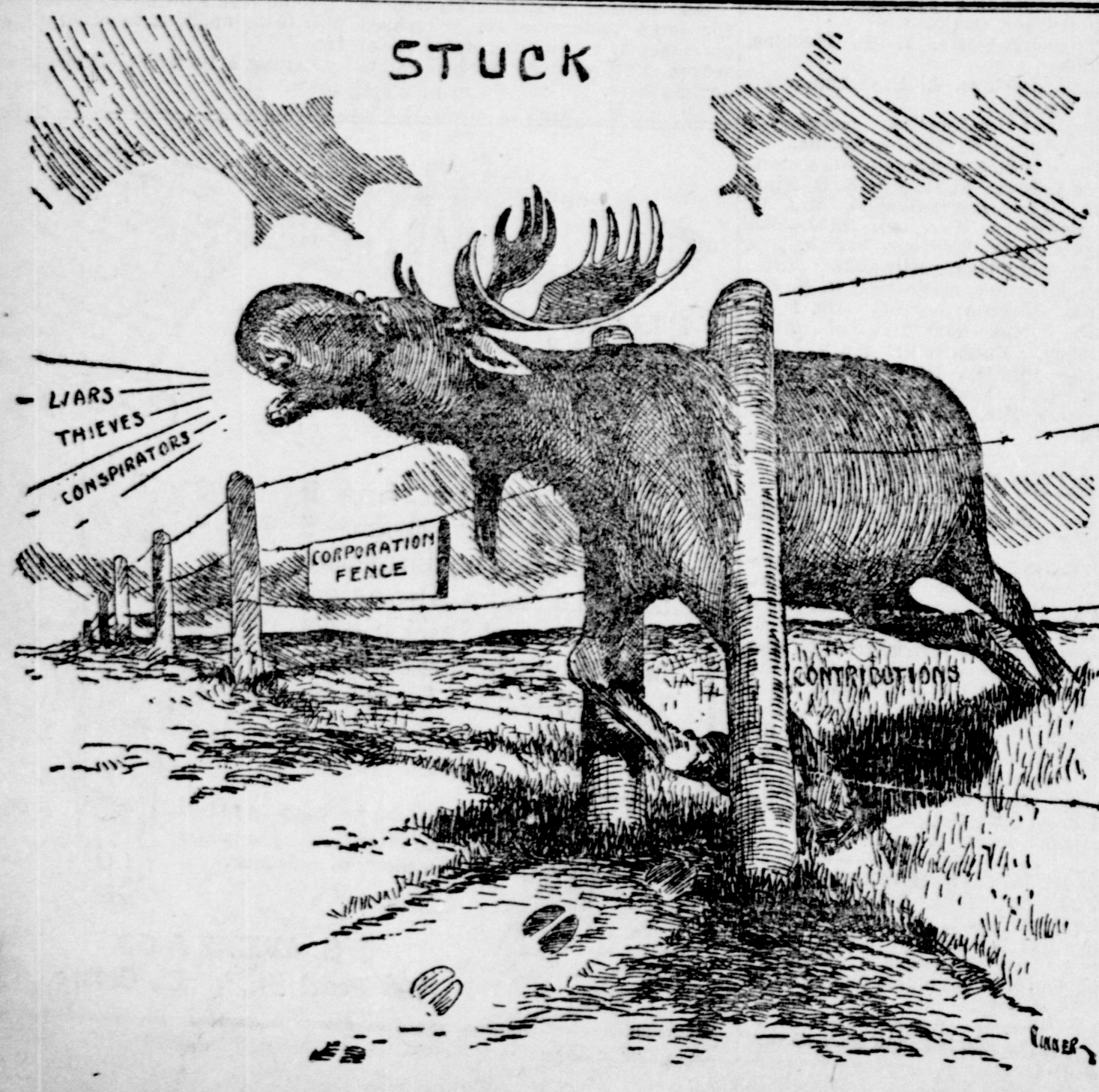
We, the undersigned, wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our beloved sister Anna. We also wish to thank all those who sent floral offerings.

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MRS. FRANK KOTNOUR.

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People used to snuff at the idea of buying at a store that sells ON CREDIT, but that's a thing of the past, as a small sum each payday is just as welcome as the whole lump sum.

(Hier wird Deutsch gesprochen)

Rorsk tales her.



CATFISH FOUND ON GAME LIST

Attorney General Rules it Is Illegal to Take Catfish Less than Pound and a Half

TWO SECTIONS OF LAW APPLY

Question Raised by the La Crosse County Hunting and Fishing Association

An interesting piece of information—interesting especially to fishermen—came to light today through a letter received by F. E. Gunther, manager of the La Crosse branch of the New York Fish company, from John A. Sholts, state game and fish commissioner in reply to an inquiry about catfish. According to Mr. Sholts catfish are classed as game fish and it is illegal to catch or have in possession any fish of this species of less than one and one-half pounds round or undressed weight. A catfish weighing one and one-half pounds is usually at least a foot long.

One of the bones of contention between the market fishermen and the sportsmen in the La Crosse County Hunting and Fishing association before the special meeting of the legislature last spring was the question of putting catfish on the game list. The sportsmen contended that catfish should be put on the game list and that the minimum size at which a catfish could be taken should not be less than eight inches in length. Ten market fishermen opposed this plan and it was not included in the bill which the association presented to the legislature.

A clause in the Minnesota game laws relating to catfish recently called Mr. Gunther's attention to the Wisconsin game laws and the question arose as to whether the Wisconsin laws consider catfish as game fish. He took the question to Mr. Sholts, who in turn took it to the attorney general, who ruled that catfish are game fish and that the size at which they can be taken is regulated by the Wisconsin laws.

There are two sections of the 1911 game laws which refer to catfish as game fish. They are: Section 81—Any person who shall take or kill or have in his possession, pike or any variety of less than one pound, round or undressed weight, any fiddler catfish of less than one and one-half pounds, round or undressed weight, or less than one pound dressed weight, or any black bass of less than ten inches, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$10 nor more than \$50, or by imprisonment in the county jail not more than sixty days or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

Section 98—It shall be unlawful and is hereby prohibited in this state (a) for any person, persons, firm, company or corporation to take, catch or kill or have in his or their possession, pike or pickerel of any variety of less than twelve inches in length, or any catfish of any kind of less than one and one-half pounds, round or undressed weight, or less than one pound dressed weight, or any black bass, yellow bass, green bass or Oswego bass, of any length less than ten inches, or any white bass or crappie less than seven inches long. For the purpose of enforcing the law in which is specified the length of fish which may be had in possession, sold or transported, to determine the length of such fish, measurement shall be taken from the tip of the nose to the tip of the tail and this shall be the rule for measurement in all such cases.

Any person, persons, firm, company or corporation, who or which violates any of the provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not less than \$25 or more than \$100 or by imprisonment in the county jail not less than sixty days nor more than six months, or by both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

Mr. Sholts' letter to Mr. Gunther is as follows:

"Madison, Wis., Oct. 10.
"Mr. F. E. Gunther, La Crosse, Wis.
"Dear Sir: Answering your letter of October 1, with reference to the law for taking catfish, I asked Attorney General Bancroft to give a written opinion. After reading the law, he said it was so very plain that it was not necessary for him to give an opinion; that it was very plain that catfish could not be taken from either outlying or inland waters from either if they are less than one pound dressed or less than one and one-half pounds undressed weight.
"Yours very truly,
"JOHN A. SHOLTS."

CAVALRY MAKES RECORD
WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—A strenuous hike of seventy-six miles at a stretch without sleep or extended rest, and every man and horse in perfect condition, was the rare feat which Troop G, of the 5th United States Cavalry, on duty in Honolulu, P. I., recently accomplished. War department officials here say theirs is the record for the army in the Islands and it has caused much favorable comment in service circles.

The troopers marched all night, being halted only at intervals of about three hours to allow the horses to graze for about fifteen minutes. The men, who were on the journey nineteen hours, took only two sandwiches apiece and a can of condensed milk. The results of the march show, officials in charge of the forces on the Island say, that the soldiers are in the best of condition and are fit for the hardest test should they be called on to make it.



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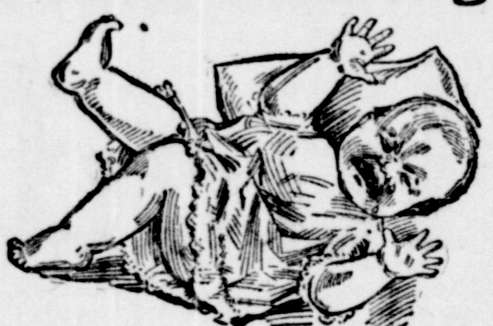
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Educational Notes

Nearly two-thirds of the American public school enrollment is in the rural schools.

A traveling school of science has been instituted in the department of

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Yonne, France. The school will make a stay of three months in any community where an attendance of fifteen is guaranteed. Similar itinerant schools for domestic science exist in Ireland.

The largest public school building in Europe is the new continuation school in Vienna.

Home economics is to be made compulsory in the primary schools of Sax-Weimar, Germany.

The educational expenditure for Scotland for the past fiscal year was \$18,300,000, of which \$840,000 was for continuation schools.

An investigation of the Prussian schools shows that an average of 16 per cent of the pupils evade the prescribed physical exercises by physician's certificates or other means.

Some of the exciting experiences of teachers and others in service in Alaska are told in recent reports received by the United States bureau of education. One of the most interesting reports describes the eruption of Katmai volcano, in western Alaska, which destroyed a native village and buried the country for a hundred miles around in volcanic ash. Three feet of pumice covered the ground where the village of Katmai formerly stood and the natives had to flee for their lives. They were eventually rescued by the United States revenue cutter Manning and taken to a new site on Ivanoff bay, where the government has set them up in housekeeping. A school will probably be established in the new village.

New York's magnificent new state education building is now completed, and will be dedicated in October. It is considered one of the finest structures in the world devoted to educational administration. It is surrounded by what is said to be the longest colonnade in existence. The building cost \$3,500,000. Prominent educators of this country and abroad have been invited to be present at the dedication ceremonies.

An increase in significance of the A. M. degree is planned by university authorities. Yale and Rutgers now require two years of study after graduation for this degree, whereas

one year has been the requirement heretofore. The aim is to raise the standard of the A. M., so that it will be sought by highly qualified men and women who have no special inclination for the pure research work demanded for the Ph. D.

The republic of Uruguay is making rather remarkable progress in primary education. Six years ago Dr. A. J. Perez, in charge of the service, aroused by the backwardness of this country in this respect, entered upon a campaign of education. The result is that the republic has increased its appropriations for the aid of schools; normal training has been greatly increased.

The state of Minnesota has engaged Dr. Ernest B. Hoag, a health expert, to travel about the state and demonstrate to the citizens that rational conservation of the mental and physical health of children is possible and practicable with the means already at hand. Three plans are proposed: (1) Organization with a medical officer and a nurse or nurses; (2) organization by the employment of a simple non-medical health survey on the part of the teacher only. To make it possible for every community, however small, to possess the necessary technical knowledge, the state board of health will maintain at the state capital a "clearing house of information con-

cerning child hygiene, medical supervision, the teaching of school hygiene and the like."

CASE AROUSES BELGIUM

BRUSSELS, Oct. 11.—There is great public indignation throughout Belgium over revelations in the case of the young and beautiful Dutch baroness, Madame van Boren, who was kidnapped recently at Ostend and railroaded to an insane asylum near this city. She had fallen in love with her coachman, and this was attested as proof of lunacy. Although closely watched, she succeeded in giving the press her own version. She describes herself as a victim of the greed of relatives who wish to get hold of her property.

CARD CONVICTS THIEF

LONDON, Oct. 11.—William Hill's workman's insurance card proved his undoing. He pleaded guilty of burglary at Croydon today and was committed for trial. A hundred dollars' worth of jewelry had been stolen from a house in Foxley road, and an insurance card, bearing the prisoner's name, was found on a table. "Well, that's something to thank Lloyd George for," remarked the magistrate, who is of opposite political faith to that of the author of the insurance law.

Save the Babies.

INFANT MORTALITY is something frightful. We can hardly realize that of all the children born in civilized countries, twenty-two per cent., or nearly one-quarter, die before they reach one year; thirty-seven per cent., or more than one-third, before they are five, and one-half before they are fifteen!

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has a nation-wide reputation as an orator and cannot fail to interest and instruct his hearers.

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NORMAL GIRL HAS NARROW ESCAPE

Miss Marie Schaettle Falls
Down Stairs in Faint;
Not Seriously In-
jured

Becoming dizzy while walking down a stairway leading to the gymnasium at the normal school, Miss Marie Schaettle, daughter of Dr. Romeo Schaettle, narrowly escaped serious injury yesterday afternoon. Miss Schaettle fell down face foremost and when picked up was thought to have suffered severe injury. However, upon examination it was found that beyond a few bruises and a general shaking up she was unharmed and after a brief rest was able to walk to her home on South Sixteenth street.

Professor E. D. Long addressed the students Tuesday on "Teachers, the Different Kinds." His talk was instructive and at the same time entertaining.

President Cotton yesterday lectured to the student body, telling of the early history of band music in this country. In his talk he described the development of the famous band of which Patrick Gilmore was the director many years ago, and spoke of ability of John Philip Sousa as a band master. Sousa comes here next Tuesday and President Cotton said he would excuse from classes all students who wished to attend the concert.

Professor Engleman and Professor Long will conduct a teachers institute Saturday night at Bangor October 18 and 19. Mr. Engleman will be at Oconto on the same business and on the 25th and 26th will be at Viola.

Miss Helen Hill, formerly registrar of the La Crosse normal, has been a visitor at the local institution this week. Miss Hill is at present registrar of the Superior normal school.

SPOTLIGHTS

"Ready Money," the biggest comedy hit of recent years that is now packing them to the doors at Maxine Elliott's theater in New York city, and at Sir Charles Wyndham's new theater in London, England, and is likely to remain at both theaters for a year or two more, will be the attraction at the La Crosse theater tomorrow afternoon and evening.

Hans Robert and Edwin Mordant will be the stars and will be associated with one of the best companies that ever left New York.

"Ready Money" is from the pen of James Montgomery, who wrote "The Aviator," and one or two other comedies, and is produced by Mr. H. H. Frazee, who has also produced that remarkable success, "Fine Feathers," which is creating a sensation in Chicago.

PLUCKY GIRL WORKS WHEN SICK

Many people do not realize the hard work connected with the life of an actor or actress, or that at times it takes all the nerve of some of them to go on with their work.

An instance of this kind of nerve was shown only a few nights ago at one of the leading theaters in St. Paul, when Miss Fern Bay, the pretty little girl who leads the pony chorus of "The Kissing Princess" company, sang and danced when she was so sick that a physician had recommended that she be sent to a hospital. On leaving that evening for the theater, the manager told the girl to lie still and rest. However, the pretty little girl knew that if she did, things would not run as smoothly as had been the custom, and at the opening chorus Miss Fern Bay was in her usual place.

At the last curtain she fainted and Dr. Hill was summoned to give medical aid.

The girl has improved and after a few days of forced rest she will again take her place in this city on Sunday, matinee and night, for the first time since the eventful evening, at the La Crosse theater.

LECTURE ON NORWAY

Before a fair sized audience, J. Jansen Fuhr, a Norwegian author and lecturer, inaugurated a Scandinavian travel festival given through moving pictures, at the Metropolitan yesterday afternoon, and will come to the La Crosse theater, Monday, October 14, matinee and night.

Various trips through Norway were the subjects discussed and presented at both the matinee and evening performances yesterday, and the same bill will hold this evening.

The speaker gave his explanatory lecture entirely in Norwegian and it was illustrated by some very beautiful films, a great many of them picturing water trips among the famous fjords of the north coast.

Preceding the exhibition, the Norwegian Singing society, led by Director Hoel, sang patriotic songs, and as a subdued accompaniment to the pictures, William W. Nelson, violinist, with Frederick Boney at the piano, played Norwegian national folk and art songs with interesting and appropriate effect.

AN ACCIDENT AT A SOUSA CON- CERT IN WALES

While playing a concert at Merthyr, Wales, one evening during their late tour of the world, Sousa and his band and an immense audience were thrown into chaos and confusion when a platform projection suddenly gave way and numbers of the band, including Mr. Sousa, went down in the wreck. Several members were more or less injured, Miss Zedeler, violinist with Sousa, came out and played her solo while standing on a corner of the wrecked platform,

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If you are troubled with dandruff or itching scalp, or if your hair is losing its color or coming out, get a fifty cent bottle of Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur from your druggist, and notice the improvement in the appearance of your hair after a few days' treatment. O. T. Erhart—Advertisement.

RUNAWAY BOYS ARE HELD BY POLICE

Louis Kaplan and Simon Rapoport, ages 13 and 14 years, who ran away from their homes in Minneapolis a few days ago, were apprehended at the Milwaukee depot here at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. The police immediately wired Minneapolis authorities and will hold the children pending word from their parents. According to the story of the boys they were making their way to Chicago when arrested.

Girls with steadies will not believe this: Love is a thing you can get over.

One never gets too old to learn—not even a chorus girl.

The barber's tip at least isn't hush money.

If a man doesn't get rid of most of his conceit by the time he reaches forty he never will.

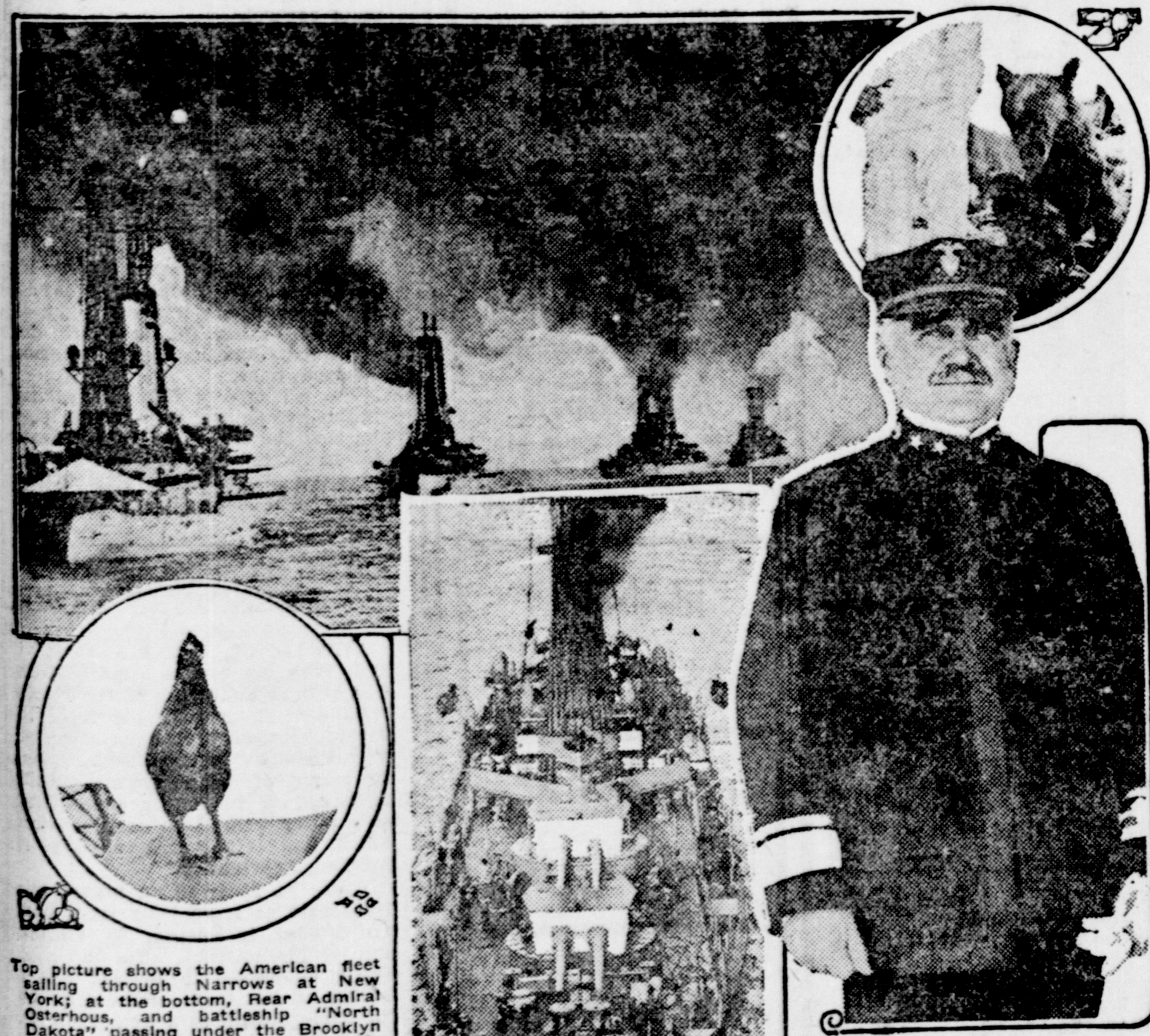
NEENAH GREEKS LEAVE FOR WAR

NEENAH, Wis., Oct. 11.—A large number of Greeks employed in the Neenah and Menasha mills have left

for Chicago and from there will go to Greece to fight for their country, with a large delegation of Greeks who will leave Chicago soon. The Greeks were imported here when laborers became scarce.

When Dame Fortune knocks at a man's door he always "rubbers" to see if the neighbors are looking. What has become of the old fashioned politician who really was consistent?

AMERICAN BATTLESHIP FLEET GATHERS IN THE HUDSON FOR GREAT NAVAL REVIEW; PRESIDENT TO INSPECT FLEET OCT. 15



Top picture shows the American fleet sailing through Narrows at New York; at the bottom, Rear Admiral Osterhaus, and battleship "North Dakota" passing under the Brooklyn bridge Oct. 5. Insets show mascots of sailor boys on two of the battleships.

Looking in their gray war paint like a thunderstorm sweeping in from sea, ten battleships of the Atlantic fleet, under the command of Rear Admiral Hugo Osterhaus, recently moved in majestic procession through the Narrows and the upper bay and anchored in the Hudson not far from New York city. The sight was an inspiring one.

There have since been daily additions to the fleet in the Hudson

and by October 11, it is estimated that at least 123 vessels will be assembled for the review by President Taft and Secretary Meyer of the navy department, which is scheduled for October 15.

In the meantime hundreds of persons are visiting the ships daily and finding much of interest. They enjoy most of all seeing the "sailor-boys" with their mascots—the world's greatest variety, from a bear to a chicken.



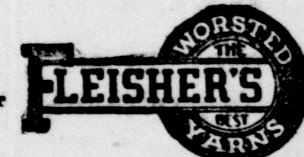
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with harp accompaniment only. The concert was finished with part of the band standing on the main floor and reading their music as best they could.

Sousa and the band entire will appear here on Tuesday, October 15, matinee, 2:30, only.

His Choice for Charity
Frank Morrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, was condemning in Washington, apropos of the English coal strike, certain senseless economies.

"Economy is all very well," he said, "but some of the latter-day scientific management economy you hear about reminds you of the skinflint millionaire whose only charity was foreign missions."

"You see," the man explained, "I choose foreign missions because I want to make my money go as far as possible."

Why of Course!
A celebrated physician was being conducted through an asylum by a "trustee," who conversed so intelligently the physician was completely

hoodwinked and promised to attend to certain outside matters for him.

At the gate the trustee called the doctor aside and very earnestly asked him if he had a piece of toast in his pocket.

"Toast! Of course I haven't! What do you want with a piece of toast?"

"Well," responded the man, "you see, I am a poached egg, and I really ought to have some toast to sit on. Don't you think so?"

But the doctor had fled.—Otto B. Shott, in Judge.

Holding It Over Him
"I shouldn't care to be the wife of a man who never smoked."

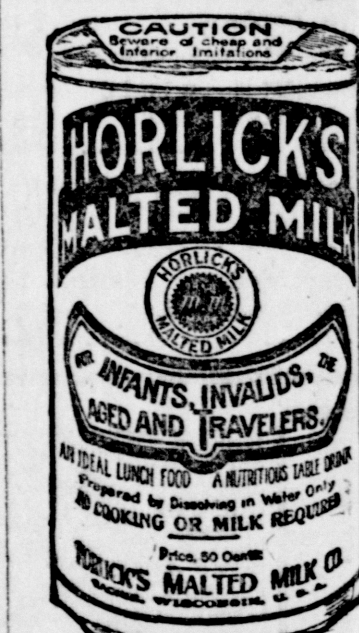
"Well, it is comfortable to see one's husband sitting down after dinner to enjoy his cigar, and there is something rather soothing about the aroma of a good cigar, too."

"Oh, I don't care anything about the comfort of it or the aroma; but as long as my husband smokes, it will always be so easy to tell him how to begin when he insists that we have got to economize."—Judge.

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Made in the largest, best equipped and sanitary Malted Milk plant in the world

We do not make "milk products"—Skim Milk, Condensed Milk, etc.

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Made from pure, full-cream milk and the extract of select malted grain, reduced to powder form, soluble in water. Best food-drink for all ages.

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at Home or Soda Fountain

Our Magnificent Display of New Suits, Coats, and Dresses Emphasize Our Supremacy

THE knit underwear you buy for fall and winter must make it possible for you to wear the prevailing fashions in outer dress with grace and at the same time give you the necessary comfort and warmth.

Athena Underwear for Women, Misses and Children

is sized and shaped perfectly. It fits easily, yet snugly to the figure without wrinkling under the corset. It is designed to meet all fashion requirements—to give comfort without bulk—daintiness with wearability.

Made in shapes and fabrics to suit the personal tastes of every woman. At the price you usually pay.

Athena underwear for children is specially designed to fit the body of the growing child. It gives comfort and wear.

On sale, all sizes and styles, only at this store.

This ready-to-wear section of ours is one continuous panorama of "style newness." The steady in-flow and outgo of Fashion's latest creations keeps our stocks at the height of attractiveness. The completeness of our stocks is emphasized when you realize that we now have ready for your selection

OVER ONE THOUSAND NEW SUITS, COATS AND DRESSES

Representing the choicest products of the nation's leading designers and tailors. All the fashionable fabrics are here, all the colors and all the latest styles. Nowhere will you find more to your liking.

BEAUTIFUL SUITS AT \$15

This is a truly wonderful line of beautiful Suits that we are offering at this low price. The tailoring and fit of these suits are such as you would expect in suits that other stores ask \$20.00 and \$22.50 for. Shown in serges, diagonals, novelty cloths, etc., in the smartest of new Fall styles. The tailoring is superb. All have guaranteed satin linings. Some becomingly trimmed with silk braids, however, most of them are plain tailored models. Featured at the price of \$15.00.

STYLISH SUITS FOR \$20

You'll be surprised at the splendid values offered to you in Suits at this very low price. Materials and workmanship such as you would expect in suits that usually sell for \$5.00 more than we ask you. Made of serge and cheviot in plain tailored models. Skinner satin lined. Shown in browns, blues, grey or black. Positively the greatest collection of snappy Fall Suits in the city at this price we feature each season, but our collection this season exceeds all previous values. Priced at \$20.00.

New Serge Dresses

Made of all wool serge in navy, tan, grey or black. Very prettily trimmed with dainty laces and velvet in the stylish ways so popular this season. Several choice models to choose from. Really a splendid value at \$10.00.



NEW FALL COATS for \$15

A broad assortment of stylish new novelty Coats made in only finest of the new materials, such as chin-chillas, Zibelines, Boucles, Polo cloths and the new rough fabrics. Over a dozen pretty stylish models to make your selection from. Some trimmed with large ornamental buttons. The new collar effects. All the new colorings in plain or the popular striped patterns. The price is unusually low for coats such as shown in this line, \$15.00.

NEW FALL COATS for \$25

Here's another line of Coats at a popular price which is proving to be very greatly favored by those who desire a fashionable new Fall Coat at a moderate price. All the new materials of the season shown in a variety of pretty fall models. The colors are grey, brown, blue, tan and the novelty mixtures. A coat style for every woman can be found in this assortment, and one which they will immediately appreciate. Specially featured at \$25.00.

Mackinaw Coats

The new jaunty Mackinaw Coats in the belted models are proving very popular for misses and juniors. Distinctive patterns in plaids and checks in all colors. Exceptionally low priced at \$7.50 to \$12.50.

FOOTWEAR



Complete showing all the new autumn styles for women and children. Among the leading styles you will find:

"Princess"—Patent leather button shoes, for dress wear; short vamp and new round toe; medium weight, Good-year welt sewed soles; 1 1/4 inch heel; sizes 3 to 8, widths A to E, at the pair \$3.50

"Princess"—Tan Russia calf, 13 button boots for street wear; new round toe, heavy rope stitched soles; short vamp, and 1 1/4 inch Cuban heel; sizes 3 to 8, widths B to E, at the pair \$3.50

FREE SATURDAY Boys' Football

With every purchase in our 2nd floor Boys' department Saturday we are going to give a foot ball free of charge

SOME WANTED FABRICS ATTRACTIVELY PRICED

COSTUME VELVETS AND VELVETEENS

A special offering of a very handsome, lustrous costume velvet in the most wanted shades for fall, including the ever popular black. All per yard only **58c**

WHIPCORD SUITINGS

Whipcords are classed among fashion's most favored materials for fall and winter fabrics, and we are featuring a beautiful two-toned effect in navy and black, gray and black, red and black, or solid black. Measuring full 52 inches in width, and a quality worth \$1.50 per yard, priced special at only **98c**

Full 52 inch wide all wool serges, in best shades of navy blue, brown, black and red. Made in extra heavy, hard twisted yarns. Special choice of \$1.25 and \$1.39 quality at only **98c**

NEW DRESS GOODS

An assemblage of about 50 pieces extra fine quality double width dress fabrics, including the newest novelties and effects, in plain or two-toned diagonal serge, also check plaids, hair line stripe. Plain shades of navy, brown, red, tan, green, grey, garnet and black. An exceptional quality desirable for suits and dresses, priced at per yard **65c**

Free PALM OLIVE

A 50c Bottle of "PALM OLIVE SHAMPOO"

With every purchase of 6 cakes of Palm Olive Soap for 49c we are going to give a large 50c bottle of genuine "Palm Olive" Hair Shampoo FREE. Main Floor

LUNCHEONETTE

Supper from 5 to 7:30

Oyster Stews 15c Oyster Patties 15c
Delicious Hot Chocolate with Whipped Cream 5c
Cream Puffs, 2 for 5c Whipped Cream, quart .10c

Orchestra Concert

Saturday Afternoon and Evening By Kreutz

NEWEST BOOKS

Ne'er Do Well—By Beach, at \$1.25
Winning of Barbara Worth—By Wright, at \$1.30
Their Yesterdays—By Wright, \$1.30
Harvester—By Porter, at \$1.35
Queed—By Harrison, at \$1.35
The Just and Unjust—By Kester, at \$1.25
Arm Chair at the Inn—By Smith, at \$1.30
The Price She Paid—By Phillips, at \$1.30

BROOMS

Saturday choice of 25 dozen 4-sewed good stock broom straw house brooms—

25c

PEROXIDE

Full 1/2 lb. bottle, Saturday at only **10c**

SOAP

Almond Toilet Soap, 10c value, Saturday, cake **7 1/2c**

TEA SPOONS

Heavy retined Tea Spoons, Saturday each **1c**

TIN CUPS

Good grade, strong 1/2 pint Tin Cups, Saturday **1c**

COAT HANGERS

Elegant grade, heavy wire coat hangers, Saturday at each **1c**

COTTON BLANKET SALE



EXTRA SPECIAL

Tremendous lot handsomely assorted fleeced Cotton Blankets, size 11x4 and 12x4. Values in this assemblage range as high as \$1.39. Some are slightly soiled and as many are all right in every respect. Priced special, your choice from lot **98c**

COTTON BLANKETS

At 43c—Fine napped, gray blankets with colored borders, priced at **43c**
At 65c—Good weight heavy sanitary fleeced blankets, size 10x4, at **65c**
At 98c—Heavy wool fleeced blankets, size 11x4, pretty shade borders, at **98c**
At \$1.49—Gray and white mottled blankets, heavy fleeced, size 12x4, priced at **\$1.49**

WOOL BLANKETS

At \$1.95—Beautiful gray, tan and white with attractive borders, wool nap, 11x4, at **\$1.95**
At \$3.95—Beautiful plaid combinations in wool blankets, very fine and soft, at **\$3.95**
At \$2.95—Good full size, in small and broken checks. Big variety of colors, at **\$2.95**
At \$2.50—Gray, tan or white, heavy napped silk bound edge. Size 12x4, at **\$2.50**

COMFORTERS

At \$1.25—Fine quality silkoline, dark and figured, knotted or sewed, at **\$1.25**
At \$1.49—Japanese figured silkoline, large size, extra weight, priced at **\$1.49**

"MOORE'S" HEATERS AND RANGES

Showing every size, kind and style in this celebrated line of stoves—There is nothing new in stoves we cannot show you. We have adopted this line of Heaters and Ranges after a thorough search of every nook and corner in the market for something better—we found some cheaper, some almost as good, but none that came up to the standard for the price reached by this one. Now all we want is an opportunity to show you, and we urge you to come at once and see a full and complete line of the most scientific stoves found on the market.

FACTS worth knowing about "Moore's" STOVES AND RANGES: Burns cheapest slack. Holds fire 48 hours. Equipped with all modern devices automatically regulating temperature, etc.

Only best new steel and iron used in their make-up.

LAUNDRY STOVES Full cast, 2 hole laundry stoves. Good heaters and will burn any kind of fuel. Regular \$5.00 values, at **\$3.98**



ELBOWS Steel 4 piece 6 inch elbows, each at **7 1/2c**

STOVE MATS We have several fine patterns in best grade oil cloth mats. Measuring 1 1/2 yards square. Good values at \$1.25, priced at **95c**

STOVE BOARDS Very best grade wood back stove boards, aluminum or florentine finish; pretty designs, size 28x28, each .. **79c**

GAS IRONS The well known Strauss guaranteed irons. These heat quicker, hold the heat better than the electric irons. Priced at **\$3.50**

CLIP THIS COUPON

Present this coupon Saturday to our basement Housefurnishing department, and we'll sell you a full 10c can of "De-light oil" for 5c.

DOERFLINGER'S

5LA CROSSE SOUVENIR POST CARDS

10c

COATS

Medium weight canvas Hunting Coats. Game pockets and two shell pockets; \$1.50 value, all sizes, at **98c**

BLANKETS

Fine napped white baby blankets, blue or pink border, at each **23c**

BLANKETS

Baby blankets, fancy blue, pink checks, at **39c**

SOAP

Jap Rose Toilet Soap, per cake .. **7 1/2c**

BABY BLANKETS

White, pink or blue border, at ... **23c**

BABY BLANKETS

Fancy blue, pink, heavy checks **39c**
Outing Flannel, colored, 27 inches wide, at **7 3/4c**

SIXTY STUDENTS AT FARM SCHOOL

Every One Enrolled Last Year Returns Except One; Three States Represented

STUDY CABBAGE DISEASES

To Seek Remedy for Black-leg and Black-rot; Plan a Field Trip

The County Agricultural school opened with sixty students, an attendance as large as at the beginning of last year. Fifteen who have sent in applications will not be able to enter for another week, as the school opening earlier than previously has made it impossible for all the young men of the farms to be here on the opening day.

Every town in La Crosse county is represented with students at the county institutions, with the exception of Hamilton, Bangor and Shelby. There are students also from the following neighboring counties: Buffalo, Trempealeau, Jackson, Eau Claire, Monroe, Columbia, Vernon, Crawford and from the states of Iowa and Minnesota.

An interesting matter in connection with the attendance is that every student who attended throughout the entire past year has returned for the second year's work with the exception of one.

Great Entertainment

Early in the school year the I. H. C. service bureau of the International Harvester company of Chicago will present the dramatic, "The Dawn of Plenty," at the county institution. The purpose of this bureau of this great company is to furnish the best information obtainable on better farming. This lecture to be given, traces the history of agriculture from early times to the present day. It is to be freely illustrated with lantern slides and moving pictures and will be strictly an educational presentation. Later announcements will be made as to the date.

Study Cabbage Diseases

Thursday afternoon a field trip was taken by the farm botany class of the county agricultural school to study local cabbage diseases. A number of serious diseases have been effecting the crop this year especially in the town of Campbell. Some of the fields will not make more than a half or two-thirds crop.

Two diseases whose ravages have been worst, are the blackleg and the black rot. These are two entirely distinct diseases as the former is caused by a fungus growth and the latter is a bacterial trouble.

La Crosse county is the only locality in the state where there has been a serious outbreak of the blackleg and some very effective methods are in progress for the control of not only this disease but all others affecting this important crop.

The blackleg is a growth on the root of the plant causing the root to die and therefore interfere with the development of a head. The infection by the black rot is usually through the leaves and following the veins finally reaches the head and causes a blackening of the head and later the leaves of the head.

Professor L. R. Jones, plant pathologist of the University of Wisconsin, and his assistants have made three trips to La Crosse county this summer to study these diseases and inaugurate methods for their complete control.

Two immediate methods may be applied by the farmers: Rotate crops so that cabbage will not be put on land which has for the years just previous grown the crop, and by treating cabbage seed by dipping it for twenty minutes in a solution of formaldehyde, using one part of the chemical to 320 parts of water, and also disinfecting all machinery used in planting the crop.

The university authorities are also working on the problem of developing plants which will resist the disease by taking plants which have continued healthy growing among diseased ones.

The outlook is that the cabbage trouble has taught a valuable lesson and that the control of these diseases will make the growing of cabbage a far more profitable investment than it has ever been previously in the county.

FANS ARE SORE AT PRESIDENT LYNCH

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—Back in New York are over a hundred Giant fans boiling under the collar because President Thomas J. Lynch of the National league told them mistakenly yesterday's world's series game, the playoff of Wednesday's tie would be staged at the Polo grounds. Each rode along with them until the train which had left Boston at 5 p. m. reached Providence.

There he received an urgent telegram said to have been from baseball officials in Boston. It informed him of his mistake, that the game would be played in Boston, and to double on his trail. He did so, but for some reason said nothing to the fans on the train, and they remained in ignorance until nearing New York, where they got the evening papers.

THRESHER IS CRUSHED
OWATONNA, Minn., Oct. 11.—Mark Conkling was probably fatally injured yesterday. While riding on the separator of a threshing outfit, he was caught between the engine and separator. His body was crushed and several bones broken.

It takes an artist to draw a good hand in some poker games.

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The Store That Always Gives The Most of The Best For The Least Money

READY-TO-WEAR GARMENTS

(SECOND FLOOR)

Ladies', Misses', Juniors', Children's ready-to-wear outer garments, in all the Fall and Winter season's latest styles and fabrics, to suit every taste and purse, will be found in our modern Cloak Room on the 2nd floor.

Ladies' Suits\$15.00 to \$40.00
See our specials at\$25.00
Ladies' Coats\$7.50 to \$45.00
See our specials at\$20.00
Misses' Coats\$7.50 to \$27.50
See our Chinchillas at\$15.00
Junior Coats\$7.50 to \$18.50
In sizes 13, 15 and 17.
Children's Coats\$2.00 to \$12.50
Ages 1 to 14 years.

SPECIAL — Silk Messaline Petticoats, in plain colors and stripes, worth \$3.50 each. Saturday only **\$1.98** each

\$2 Waists and Dresses for 50c

(SECOND FLOOR)

Come early Saturday morning for these tailored waists, lingerie waists and wash dresses that sold up to \$2.00 each. Don't miss the bargains Saturday, **50c** each

Muslin

Remnants of 36 inch Bleached Muslin, worth 7½c and 9c yard, at only per yard **5½c**

Guest Toweling

15 inch pure linen figured Huck Toweling, worth 45c a yard; Saturday per yard **35c**
18 inch plain all Linen Huck Toweling, worth 45c a yard, Saturday per yard **35c**
18 inch all Linen figured Huck Toweling, 50c values, Saturday per yard **39c**

Bath Towels

We bought from a manufacturer 50 dozen of hemmed Bath Towels, size 22x44, that are not quite full bleached. This don't affect the wear of the towels. This towel is sold all over for 25c; Saturday only **17c** each

Damask

72 inch all Linen Bleached Satin Damask, Irish manufacture, worth \$1 yard, Saturday per yard **87c**
62 inch all Linen Half Bleached German Damask, 65c values, Saturday per yard **45c**
70 inch heavy all Linen Silver Bleached Damask, excellent wear; value 89c; Saturday, yard **69c**

BEACON BLANKETS AND COMFORTERS

Special prices for Saturday on plain white Blankets that

Sold for\$1.00, 89c, 75c and 69c pair
Saturday 89c, 69c, 59c and 55c pair

The North Star Wool Blankets are the best manufactured in wool. You pay no more for them than inferior makes, many of which are only half wool and sold for pure wool. Prices per pair\$5.00 to \$15.00

The manufacturers of Beacon Blankets have reached the height of perfection in blanket making, producing goods which for wear, appearance and warmth equal wool goods at half the cost. Try a "Beacon" and you will be satisfied. **\$1.75 to \$4.50** pair.



Crib Blankets

Figured and plain Crib Blankets, 50c only at **39c**

Beacon Comfortables and Bath Robe Blankets; will cut into handsome bath robes with frog and girdle to match, **\$2.50** and **\$3.50** each.

We have a big assortment of the Robe Flannel, 35c yard, girdle and cord to match, per set **50c**

Comforters

Silkoline and satin covered Comforters, pure cotton filling. Special prices at each **\$1.50, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.50**
Cheese cloth covered Cotton Batting, 72 by 90, 4 lbs. weight, all ready for covering, only **\$1.35**



\$7.50 Trimmed HATS at...\$2.98



Featuring for Saturday the best millinery values ever offered at the beginning of the season. Choice of one hundred beautiful tailored and dress hats worth \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$7.50 at **\$2.98**. They comprise velvet hats, moire hats, bright finish felts in the newest and most becoming styles, trimmed with fancy ostrich wings, pheasant tails, etc. Black and all the most wanted colors—a surprising and unexpected value offering for Saturday.

Dress Goods

Serges in all colors, widths 36, 45 and 54 inches. Prices, yard **50c to \$2.25**
All wool Diagonals and Whipcords, widths 54 inches. Prices, yard **\$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.85**
Cotton Worsted Shephard Checks, 24 and 36 inches wide, at yard **18c and 25c**

Hosiery and Underwear

Carter's Underwear, backed by 50 years' experience, is the most reliable made. We carry a complete line for ladies and children, vests, pants and union suits, garment **50c to \$3.50**
Our lines of Fall and Winter Hosiery for ladies and children are the best procurable. Per pair **15c, 25c, 35c, 50c**

Cotton Batting

Pure white Cotton Batting, worth 9c, special for Saturday only per roll **7c**
White Rose Cotton Batting. This is a well known brand worth 29c. Special for Saturday, roll..... **19c**

Outing Flannel

We have the largest assortment of Outing Flannels in the city. Compare the quality and prices before purchasing. Saturday we place on sale an Outing Flannel that is worth 8½c yard, at only per yard **6½c**

Wrapper Flannels

27 inch and 36 inch Wrapper Flannels in a wide range of colorings, per yard, **12½c, 15c and 18c**.

Quaker Silks

36 inch Chiffon finished Quaker Silk, black only, spot proof, guaranteed, at per yard **\$1.50**

Apron Gingham

Apron Gingham in short lengths, 10 to 20 yards, that are actually worth 9c per yard. Saturday a big bargain at only per yard **6½c**

Spreads

Full size hemmed Crochet Spreads, Marseilles designs, worth \$1.25, on sale Saturday at only each **\$1.00**

Yarns

Odd colors in Germantown Yarns, suitable to tie comforters, sold for 12½c a skein; Saturday only per skein **6½c**
German Knitting Yarns, in white, black, red, worth 30c, at only per skein **22c**
Eiderdown Yarns for caps, etc., full line of colors, worth 18c, Saturday per skein..... **15c**

Doylies

6 and 8 inch Hand Crochet Doylies, worth 12½c and 15c, Saturday only each **10c**

DRAPERY DEPT.

(THIRD FLOOR)

Printed Serims and Casement Cloths, choice of figured allover and plain center patterns; never before sold for less than 10c. Special for Saturday at per yard **5c**

Casey Cloth for covering comforts, 40 inches wide, in handsome floral patterns. Special for Saturday at per yard **12½c**

Axminster Rugs, 36x72 inches, in oriental and medallion patterns. These are an extra good grade and are worth **\$3.45** \$4.50. Saturday special

Pure Brown Linen Pillow Outfit

This entire outfit, consisting of
Pillow Top—either square or oblong—tinted on pure Brown Linen—
Back for Pillow—
Diagram Lesson—giving full instructions for embroidery—
6 skeins of Richardson's Grand Prize Grecian Silk Floss—
All for 50c



OUR BIGGEST BARGAIN—SIX ATTRACTIVE DESIGNS
The Pillow Top and Back are alone worth the price of the entire outfit offer.

Fancy Goods Dept. This Beautiful Pillow FREE

STAMPED PILLOW CASES

42x36, 45x36 Stamped Tubing Pillow Cases, Saturday only, at the pair **50c**

Basement

We have a full line of H. Heisey Glassware at popular prices 10c to 75c
Fancy China in a big variety of assortments at .5c, 10c, 15c, 25c and 50c
42 piece set of White China, gold band decoration, domestic manufacture, set of 42 pieces **\$3.65**
Special for Sat-

Glassware and China at prices within the reach of all. Values that will interest you.

50 piece Set of plain white imported China, worth \$11.25, Saturday for this set of 50 pieces **\$8.25**

Tumblers—20 dozen of tumblers that sell regularly for 5c each, Saturday **TWO** for **5c**



All we ask is that you buy 6 skeins of

Richardson's Grand Prize Grecian Silk Floss

and a Diagram Lesson at the regular retail price of **25c**
The Pillow Top and Back are ABSOLUTELY FREE

This extraordinary offer is made solely to convince every woman of the overwhelming superiority of

Richardson's Grand Prize Wash Embroidery Silk

The Gold Dust Twins' Philosophy

If you have ever fumed and fussed, because of dirt and grime and rust, and said unto yourself, "Oh, dear! This household work will kill, I fear"—then it is time that you should find some other method far more kind.

Of all the woes a housewife bears, one always fills her day with cares: The kitchen after-meal-time muss, is quite enough to make one fuss. What, with the pots and pails and pans, the knives and forks and plates and cans, no task of man, however grim, the half as mean is handed him.

The Easiest Way

Two little willing workers aim to enter in this household game: their job, the lessening of work, a task that neither of them shirk. With active little hands and brains they grab the irksome household reins, till soon each kettle, pot or dish, is just as bright as you could wish. And not until the chores are done, from sink to silver, sun to sun, could anything inspire the two, to drop the tasks they have to do.



Therefore, if you have never known, assistance such as we have shown, your troubles end, where joy begins. Now, Mrs. Drudge, the Gold Dust Twins! Henceforth, as dishes congregate, when cutlery, in sad array, awaits you at the close of day—"Cheer Up!" Forget the labor planned: You have two aids at your command.

The Gold Dust Twins

ARMY GETS MANY MEN TWO DEAD IN WRECK

ENLISTMENTS DURING LAST FEW MONTHS SHOW SURPRISING INCREASE FOR REGULARS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—Army enlistments during the last few months have taken a sudden and surprising increase, according to war department figures given out. Despite the fact that the summer months are always dull recruiting periods, 2,075 men enlisted in the regular service of the army during July. One reason which might be assigned to large increase in recruiting is the new enlistment law which goes into effect on November 1. This law provides that every man enlisting after that date must complete four years of actual service and then must hold himself in readiness as a reserve for three more years. He may be summoned at any time to serve in the event of war or the imminence of war. Doubtless, many men who have been considering serving in the army, but who, at the same time, do not wish to be held under obligation for so long a period, have taken advantage of the opportunity to enter before the law goes into effect, thus avoiding the three years' service duty.

DEATH RATE LOW

ST. PAUL, Oct. 11.—According to Dr. Lankester, St. Paul's health commissioner, there were no deaths in the city from contagious diseases during the month of September. If the death rate does not increase within the next two months, there will be fewer deaths in St. Paul this year than ever in the history of the city.

B. & O. CHICAGO-NEW YORK TRAIN HITS FREIGHT IN CHICAGO YARDS—ENGINEER AND FIREMAN DIE

CHICAGO JUNCTION, Ohio, Oct. 10.—Two lives were lost and twenty persons injured when the Baltimore & Ohio New York-Chicago flyer No. 14 crashed into a freight train in the yards here today. The wreck was due to fog. The engineer and fireman were buried beneath the wreckage. The engineer was crushed to death. It was necessary for a physician to cut off the fireman's leg before he could be freed from the burning wreckage and he died later. The engineer was L. E. Ranshan of Garrett, Ind.; the fireman, Joseph Lealand, same city.

WORKERS' INSURANCE GOOD LONDON, Oct. 11.—Despite the attempts to wreck Lloyd George's workmen's insurance act, reports coming into the insurance commissioner's office indicate that it is succeeding beyond expectations.

According to latest returns from stamp sales, it is estimated that the total number of persons now insured under the act approximates 13,000,000.

MARRIAGE WITNESS SHOT

CADIZ, Oct. 11.—While acting as witness at a marriage, Da Jacinto Amaya, a leading physician, was shot through the heart by a young milliner named Maria Perez, who mistook him for the bridegroom, by whom she had been jilted. On learning that she had killed the wrong man the girl went insane.

FARMERS COULD SAVE MILLIONS

Madison Expert Says Co-operation Would Be Worth \$225,000,000 a Year

LOOKS UP EUROPEAN PLAN

Studied System in Use in England and Denmark for a Year

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 11.—That a saving of \$225,000,000 could be made to the consumers and producers of the farm produce of this country through co-operative buying and selling is the opinion of John Sinclair of the Wisconsin legislative reference library.

Went to Europe

For the purpose of devising some plan whereby consumers could reduce the cost of living by paying less for their food products while the farmers of the state would at the same time receive more for their crops and produce, more than a year ago Mr. Sinclair was sent, by the Wisconsin state board of public affairs, to England, Denmark and other European countries in which co-operative marketing has succeeded, to study the methods followed there and to determine whether or not these would be applicable to Wisconsin conditions. A report but lately issued by this department contains a summary of his findings which should be of unusual interest to the consumers and producers of the state.

The farm produce of this country is worth about \$9,000,000,000, and assuming that half of this represents the cost of marketing under the present system, Mr. Sinclair, in his report, estimates that at least five per cent of the half could be saved by the producers by having their own co-operative managers and sales agents. This would mean a net gain to the people of \$225,000,000. And the experience of co-operators in Ireland and Denmark, as told in Mr. Sinclair's report, was that many times five per cent could be saved.

Aim is Economy

The great aim of co-operation, according to this investigator, is to increase production and to get the product to the consumer as economically as possible. Getting the product into the hands of the consumer is, of course, a very intricate process where growers and consumers are as far removed from each other as they are at the present time. Naturally enough the large producers can not attend personally to all of the details of transportation and marketing of their output or produce. They can, however, hire competent men at regular salaries to properly take care of some of these phases of production, and marketing. But they can only afford to do this by co-operating with other producers.

Secretary Wilson of the department of agriculture has estimated that but 46 per cent of what the consumer pays for his product ever gets back to the farmers. If the present charges of distributing and retailing farm products by private concerns were not excessive, there would be no need of changing the system. But it is evident that 50 per cent of the selling price is a high rate to pay for putting the products into the consumer's hands. Experience in other countries and to a lesser degree in this, has already gone far to show that co-operative agencies give improved service at a largely diminished cost. How important a further application of this principle is, may be judged from the fact that the present annual retailing value of farm produce in this country is about \$9,000,000,000. Assuming that half of this represents the cost of marketing under the present system, and if but five per cent of the other half could be saved to the producers by hiring their own co-operative managers and sales agents, it would still mean a net gain of \$225,000,000.

Works Through Saving

Co-operation can unquestionably accomplish more through the savings which producers may realize by conducting their own distribution, than through increases in the whole sale price obtained. We need a better adjustment of supply to demand, which will make it possible to market commodities when and where they will bring the largest net return.

The time has now arrived for the state of Wisconsin to take an active interest in the co-operative movement within its borders. Wisconsin has passed through the pioneering stage of industry into one where co-operation has become well established and what is now needed is official recognition and central organization.

CLUB FOR DOGS

LONDON, Oct. 11.—The aristocratic canine population of Mayfair and Belgrave is to have a club of its own. A palatial home in Park Lane has been secured for the purpose and it is expected to have Caesar, the late King Edward's favorite terrier, as the star performer at the opening ceremonies next month.

The organization is to be known as the United Counties club and the charter members are mostly persons of title. There will be special accommodations and comforts for dogs in the basement where they may enjoy themselves without interfering with the social pursuits of their owners upstairs. The animals are to have maids to wait upon them and their own medical adviser.

The more justice some people get the less they are inclined to boast of it.



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ARRESTED IN NEW YORK CITY FOR
STEALING PURSE YEAR AND A HALF AGO



Miss Dorothy Dale.

Miss Dorothy Dale, stepdaughter of Della Fox, the actress, has been arrested in New York city, charged with stealing a gold mesh purse a year and a half ago. Curiously enough, her arrest was caused by the Police sisters who themselves get into the police news on an average of once a month.

SPORTING :: NEWS ::

INTENSE INTEREST IN TITLE GAMES

Boston and New York Are
Fighting for Champion-
ship on Equal
Footing

GIANTS' DEFENSE IS RAGGED

McGraw's Team Has Best
Pitching; Sox Are Al-
ways Strong at the
Finish

(By Grantland Rice.)
NEWYORK, Oct. 11.—You can
seize it from us, gentle or rough
reader, that the wildest scramble
that ever mixed up a world's series
program is now in full blast.

Before this pop-eyed series con-
cludes, some time next week, there'll
be two clubs fit for the booby-hatch
and 200,000 half-shaved, raving New
York and Boston rooters running
about in short dizzy circles, pursued
by an army of keepers fresh from
the bug house. As the result of the
last three battles, both supporting
camps have kicked all dope to the
four or five winds and now are poised
and set for a mad house jubilee
unequaled in the history of the
game.

Out of three battles fought to
date, but each hectic, nerve shatter-
ing battle has gone to the final pitch
of final inning, and the final out
where the fine, frail margin of a
hair might have won, or lost, all
three conflicts. Both have showed
a keen and yearning desire to crack
and split wide open at every close
stage of the scrap, and when they
start breaking the noise resembles a
serried line of warships saluting the
grand old flag in a harbor noted for
its sharp acoustics.

If there is any edge now it be-
longes to the Giants who despite their
wild and woolly fielding—their terri-
fic cave-ins at every chance, have
shown by far the best pitching and
the best batting to date.

Not only that McGraw now has
Tesreau, Mathewson and Marquard
left in turn while the Red Sox have
only Joe Wood, as Collins, Hall and
O'Brien have failed to show what is
technically known as the game-
proof goods. So even if Wood beats
Tesreau today, Mathewson holds the
edge tomorrow over any slabman
Stahl may put into the pit.

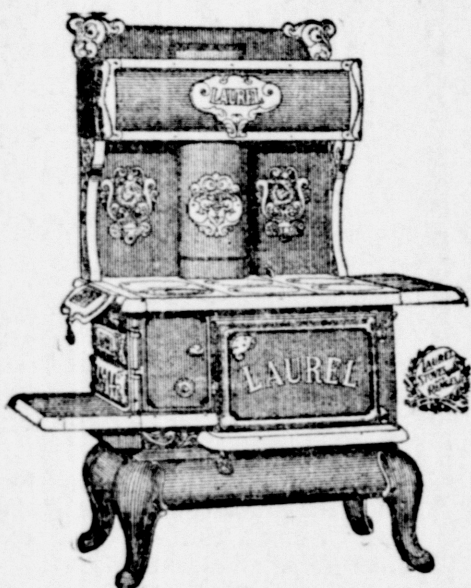
On the other wing of it, if Tes-
reau beats Wood, the Red Sox are in
for what horticulturists would call
a large pear-shaped time of it with
only Collins or Bedient left to grap-
ple with the redoubtable Mathewson
—a veteran—but still there in the
vital departments of his well known
profession.

And yet, withal the Red Sox still
carry these two features to fall back
on: Giants, despite their good pitch-
ing and batting, have shown the
eager wish expressed above to crack
at every close call.

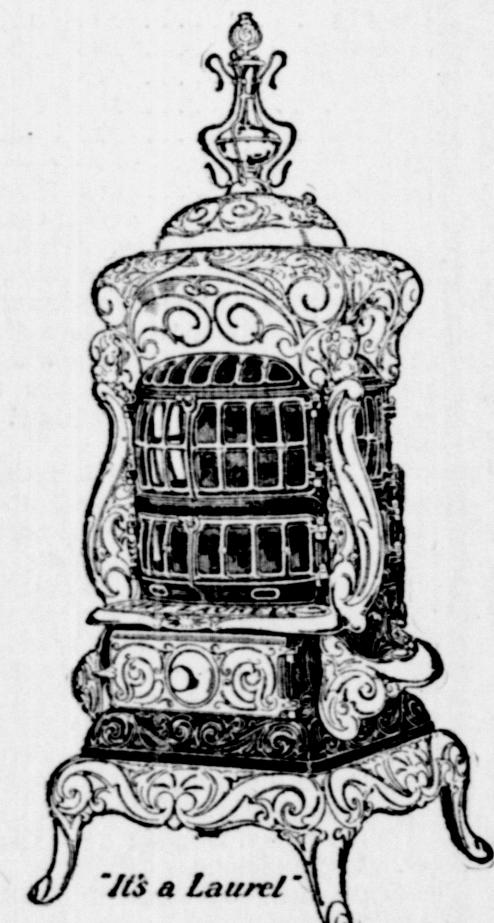
And with this, the Red Sox have
shown a dauntless spirit in attack at
the finish—a resolute courage in
batting till the last man has died at
the finish. This angle was flashed in
the third battle where only a mira-
cle saved Marquard after he had
worked one of the grandest games of
his career. For eight rounds the
Giant southpaw had stood the slug-
ging Sox men on their onions—slang
for beans.

Using his left arm almost exclu-
sively for this purpose, he had beat-
en the Boston attack to a whisper.

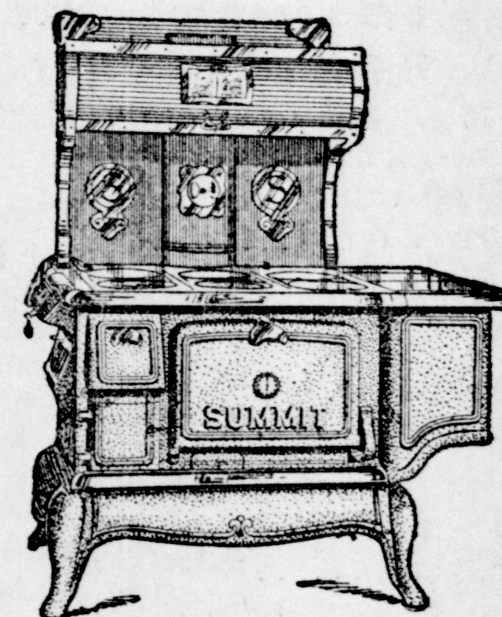
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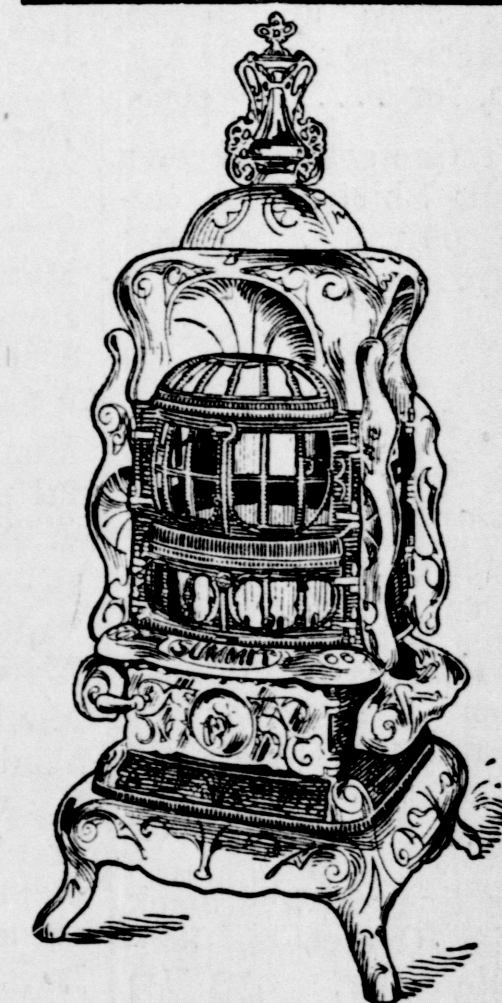
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ATHLETICS AGAIN BEAT DOOIN'S MEN

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Oct. 11.—
The Philadelphia American league
team made it three out of four in
the local interleague series by win-
ning from the National league team
in a well played game Thursday by
a score of 4 to 3.

McInnis, the American's first
baseball, scored two of the former
world's champions' runs and got a
double and single off the delivery of
Earl Moore, who started pitching for

the Phillies. Seaton relieved Moore
in the seventh inning and Brown
who started for the Athletics was
succeeded by Bender in the fourth
inning. Score: R H E
Americans . . . 010210000—4 11 1
Nationals . . . 002001000—3 8 2
Batteries: Brown, Bender and
Lapp; Moore, Seaton and Killifer and
Moran.

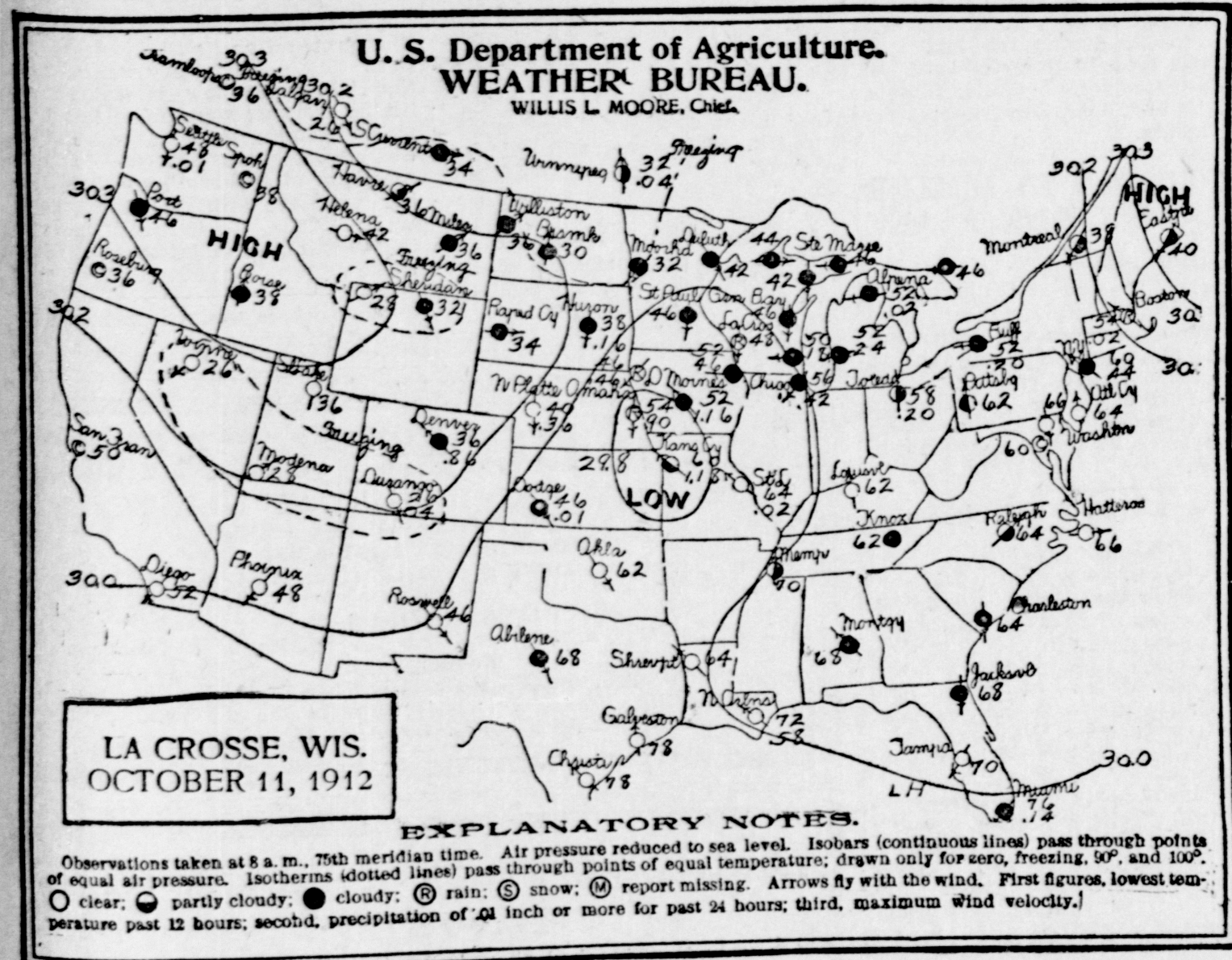
Their Ill Success.

Chicago doctor opines that the aver-
age woman loves a cave man. But
most of them have to be content with
bat dwellers.

Weather Forecast and Weather Conditions

U. S. Department of Agriculture. WEATHER BUREAU.

WILLIS L. MOORE, Chief.



EXPLANATORY NOTES.

Observations taken at 8 a. m., 75th meridian time. Air pressure reduced to sea level. Isobars (continuous lines) pass through points of equal air pressure. Isotherms (dotted lines) pass through points of equal temperature; drawn only for zero, freezing, 50°, and 100°.

☉ clear; ☁ partly cloudy; ☂ cloudy; ☔ rain; ☎ snow; ☐ report missing. Arrows fly with the wind. First figures, lowest tem-
perature past 12 hours; second, maximum; third, maximum wind velocity.

| | (H) | (L) | (P) | | (H) | (L) | (P) | | (H) | (L) | (P) |
|---------------|-----|-----|-----|--------------|-----|-----|------|----------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Atlantic City | 64 | 76 | 0 | Huron | 38 | 42 | 16 | Miles City | 36 | 52 | 0 |
| Boston | 54 | 70 | 0.2 | Jacksonville | 68 | 80 | 0 | New York | 60 | 78 | .44 |
| Boise | 38 | 56 | 0 | Kansas City | 60 | 74 | 1.18 | New Orleans | 72 | 88 | .58 |
| Charleston | 64 | 78 | 0 | La Crosse | 48 | 56 | 0 | Portland, Ore. | 46 | 64 | 0 |
| Chicago | 56 | 60 | .42 | Madison | 50 | 52 | .20 | Portland, Me. | 46 | 60 | 0 |
| Denver | 36 | 44 | .86 | Memphis | 70 | 84 | 0 | St. Paul | 38 | 54 | 0 |
| Salveston | 78 | 86 | 0 | Millwaukee | 50 | 54 | .18 | Spokane | 38 | 54 | 0 |
| Selena | 42 | 46 | 0 | Medicine Hat | 32 | 46 | 0 | Washington | 60 | 88 | 0 |

They couldn't reach him with a tele-
gram or a long distance telephone
call. He had everything plus five—
with the greatest amount of stuff he
has shown all year. In the meanwhile
with Herzog and Murray again lead-
ing the Giant assault, New York had
combed Buck O'Brien, the eminent
spitter, for 2 runs. They had turned
this trick by reaching Saliva Buck
in what are known far and wide as
the pinches.

The two runs looked to be a mil-
lion with Marquard in such rare
form, backed up at last by quick,
confident support. When Speaker
popped out in the ninth the game
looked over. Then came the turn—
the sudden break—which shows well
enough how this series stands, and
how it looks across future games.

Coming on grimly, gamely, and
valiantly, for that final rush, Lewis
singled and Gardner doubled to
right. Devore played the ball badly
and Merkle dropped the relay. But
Wagner, the brainiest player on the
Boston team, coaching at third, turned
the ram upside down. He at-
tempted to block Lewis from scoring
and failed, and then turned and
waved Gardner back to second when
he could have walked to third upon
his finger tips.

This brainstorm coaching cost Bos-
ton a run and a tie game as the
Giants were then mostly poised for a
final detonation.

Stahl tapped to Marquard who nip-
ped Gardner at third where he
should have been before Stahl came
up. Wagner tapped to Fletcher, who
pegged straight and true to Merkle
for what should have been the clos-
ing out. Merkle dropped the ball
and the Giants were in rout with
runners on first and third. Wagner
piffled second and when Cady peel-
ed off a terrific wallop to right cen-
ter, only a steepjack catch by De-
vore saved Marquard's scalp.

We introduce these gentle in-
tents again to show that anything
can happen in this series—that New
York can still get all the best of the
pitching and batting and still lose
unless her support decides to settle
down for a day or two and make at
least two or three safe, conservative
plays.

The Giants have shown all the
best of the pitching and batting, but
the Red Sox have shown the best de-
fensive play. Another Boston weak-
ness develops in the lack of gener-
ship as the team appears to be work-
ing in circles without any central
aim or gun-point to shoot at.

and has earned nine runs to Boston's
five. The Red Sox have earned but
one run in their last two games
against Mathewson and Marquard,
but what's the dad-binged use of
earning what the other blokes are
willing to slip you generously, free-
ly and with lavish hand?

When a series gets down to where
three games are played and each
game swings upon the last ball pitch-

ed—the final out—there is no great
roar of confidence due from either
camp.

It is possibly this feature—the fact
that every ball hit—every ball caught
and every ball thrown might turn
the game upside down that has got-
ten in its nerve-shattering effort.

Outside of the pitching, and De-
vore's catch, two Giants have kept
their tribe in the hunt upon the at-

tack. These two are Herzog and
Murray, the twin sons of swat.

Red Jack has wiped 1911 off the
slate for ever. With Herzog batting
.66, mostly in the pinches, it has
been Murray who combed the need-
ed swats and saved at least two
games.

Summed up, the series now is sure
to run out to six games and almost
sure to run seven or eight.

THE WILL O' THE WISP.



National campaign managers complain that they are having great difficulty in collecting funds this
year.

WHY NOT ECONOMIZE?

Here is an opportunity to save a little money. The prices quoted here represent a great saving to you. It will pay you to read each item carefully.

- Men's extra heavy Sweater Coats, brown and gray, Byron collar; sizes up to 46; \$1.00 value, tomorrow only **48c**
- Men's good heavy Work Pants, brown and gray, not all wool, \$2 values, for **\$1.19**
- Men's good heavy Corduroy Pants, \$2.50 value, for **\$1.39**
- Boys' Corduroy Knickerbocker Pants, 75c value, for **49c**
- Boys' good heavy School Suits, sizes up to 16; Knickerbocker pants, for **\$1.88**
- Men's fine gray or brown Flannel Shirts, high collar, \$2.00 value, for **\$1.29**
- Men's Flannel Shirts, regular collar, assorted colors, \$1.00 value, at **69c**
- Ladies' fine all wool Sweater Coats, \$3.00 value, for **\$1.98**
- Ladies' extra quality Shaker Knit Sweaters, gray and tan, shawl collar, \$5.00 value, for **\$3.48**
- Men's fine all wool black Cheviot Overcoats, convertible collar, \$12 value, for ... **\$8.75**
- Men's heavy fleeced Underwear, good quality, at **29c**
- Men's extra heavy fleeced Underwear, 75c value, at **39c**
- Men's fine ribbed Union Suits, \$1.50 values, for **98c**
- Men's heavy all wool natural gray Underwear—\$1.50 value, for **98c**
- Boys' fast colored Shirtwaists, extra well made, for ... **25c**
- Boys' Winter Caps, 50c value, for **39c**
- Boys' heavy ribbed Hose, fast colors, 25c quality, for **13c**
- Men's extra fine Worsted Pants, strictly all wool, \$5.00 values, for **\$3.48**
- Men's Fall Caps, beautiful patterns, \$1.00 values, for ... **50c**
- Boys' and Girls' Union Suits, fleece lined, 75c value, for **48c**
- Men's fine Silk Four-in-hand Neckwear, 50c value, for **35c**
- Men's Silk Neckwear, plain colors, 25c value, for **19c**
- Boys' Knit Caps, all wool, 50c value **25c**
- Men's fine Dress Coats, cuffs attached, fast colors, 75c values, at **59c**
- Boys' Outing Flannel Shirtwaists, 35c values, for **19c**
- Ladies' and Men's Umbrellas, 75c values, for **48c**
- Ladies' extra quality Umbrellas, \$1.00 values, for **69c**
- Child's fine all wool Sweater Coats, 75c value, for **49c**
- Men's fine imported Cloth Hats, \$3.00 values, for **\$1.98**
- Men's Rough and Cloth Hats, \$2.00 values, for **\$1.49**
- Men's fine Mocha or Kid Gloves, unlined, \$1.25 and \$1.50 values, for **88c**
- Men's heavy Wool Hose, good quality, 2 pair for **25c**
- Men's gray Mackinaw Coats, all wool, \$5.00 values **\$3.88**
- Men's heavy Corduroy, sheep-lined Coats, fur collar, \$5.00 value, for **\$3.98**
- Young Men's fine gray Overcoats, convertible collar, \$15.00 value, for **\$9.95**

THE BIG FOUR

THE BEST SUITS ON EARTH AT \$10, \$12.50, \$15 and \$18.

INTERVENTION IS DEBATE SUBJECT

The high school literary societies will hold their regular debates this evening in the high school building.

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GOTHAM WEATHER BAD

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—At 11 o'clock the weather was cloudy and threatening and the chances for a world's series game were slim.

O'Brien said that while a game could be played on the wet field, the final decision would rest with the umpires who would inspect the field. There were about 1,000 people waiting at the gates ready to enter as soon as a decision was reached. The weather forecast was: Increasing cloudiness, with probable rain Saturday.

The Wendell Phillips will discuss the bull moose party from a standpoint of its justifiableness. Figgie and Swennes will be for the affirmative in opposition to Bayer and Lean.

THE ONLY ATTRACTION.

North Side

NATIONALS BOWL THREE VICTORIES

Big Joe Bunch Trimmed by Nationals; Handicap Committee Is Chosen

The Nationals won three straight games from the Big Joes in the first game of the season for these two bowling teams last evening. The Nationals took both the first and second games by wide margins but in the last game the Nationals won out after a close contest by a margin of nine pins.

| NATIONALS | | |
|--------------|-----|-----|
| A. McDonald | 112 | 112 |
| Talley | 157 | 132 |
| Osweller | 145 | 122 |
| P. Roth | 178 | 126 |
| F. Roth | 148 | 167 |
| Wm. McDonald | 140 | 130 |
| Totals | 723 | 702 |

| BIG JOES | | |
|----------|-----|-----|
| Jacobs | 120 | 107 |
| Peterson | 158 | 95 |
| Cameron | 98 | 109 |
| Light | 101 | 115 |
| Nekola | 127 | 137 |
| Totals | 604 | 563 |

Notice has been given that the Painters, the Nelsons, Peerless and Old Style teams will not be given a handicap in the season's games but that they will have to give the other four teams a handicap when they meet them. The handicaps to be given teams will be changed every seven weeks.

Following is the committee on handicaps which will meet upon the call of the president or secretary. Roth of the Nelsons; Freng of the Peerless; Whittenberg of the Old Style; Hayes of the Barred Rocks; W. McDonald of the Nationals; Nekola of the Round Bars; and Paulson of the Painters.

The schedule of next week's league games is as follows:

Tuesday, October 15—Premiums vs. Round Bars.
Wednesday, October 16—Nationals vs. Combinations.
Thursday, October 17—Painters vs. Peerless.
Friday, October 18—Nelsons vs. Old Styles.

NORTH SIDE IN BRIEF

A good show at Dreamland. H. Schradzki of New York City, is a business caller on the north side today.

Olaf Olson left this morning for Caledonia where he will attend the fair today.

Mrs. Crafter, 1233 Charles street, went to Valley Junction yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. F. Murnann. Walter L. Kannia of Cincinnati, O., is in the city on business this week.

Harry Koepcke visited north side friends yesterday.

The Stars Sewing circle met at the home of Miss Fern Nichols Thursday evening when an enjoyable evening was spent. Light refreshments were served at a late hour.

Mrs. Gisson is confined to her home at 1218 Charles street, with illness.

The quarterly meeting of the German Lutheran church, corner of St. Paul and Avon streets, met last evening in the school hall.

Miss Nina Thurston is confined to her home here with illness.

Miss Laura Schnick of 1318 George street, is visiting friends and relatives in Hokah.

Miss Daisy Bice who has been visiting friends and relatives here, has returned to her home in Tomah.

Bill Limpert, who has been working out of the city, has returned to his home at 227 Mill street, where he will spend a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale who have been visiting friends and relatives in Chicago, have returned to their home on Mill street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cross have moved their household furniture from 1237 Berlin street, to 1019 St. Paul street.

Miss Fay Merrill, who has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bice, 1217 Charles street, has returned to her home in Prairie du Chien.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Frey who have been visiting relatives in Denver, Col., have returned to their home here at 1600 Kane street.

Mrs. L. Erwin and son left yesterday morning for a brief visit with relatives at Rushford.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jensen and children have returned to their home in Lake City.

Mrs. H. Davidson has returned to her home here, after a brief visit with her aunt in East Moline.

Miss Alma Headgraft left last evening for a visit with her mother in Galesburg.

Miss Laura Smith of Winona was brief caller here yesterday.

Arthur Shore of Beaver Dam was a business caller here yesterday.

Mrs. Howard Miller of Chicago, is the guest of La Crosse relatives.

The Men's society of the Charles Street Lutheran church will be entertained by Mr. O. F. Opsahl Friday evening.

The chap with a theater pass is easily taken in. Many a bluff man has a wife who is able to call the bluff. Money talks, but most of us never even get a chance to listen. It's the easiest thing in the world to bear the lies we haven't.

SURELY SETTLES UPSET STOMACH

"Pape's Diapiesin" ends Indigestion, Gas, Sourness in five minutes.

"Really does" put bad stomachs in order—"really does" overcome indigestion, dyspepsia, gas, heartburn and sourness in five minutes—that just that—makes Pape's Diapiesin the largest selling stomach regulator in the world. If what you eat ferments into stubborn lumps, you belch gas and eructate sour, undigested food and acid; head is dizzy and aches; breath foul; tongue coated; your insides filled with bile and indigestible waste, remember the moment Diapiesin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. It's truly astonishing—almost marvelous, and the joy is it's harmless.

A large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapiesin will give you a hundred dollars' worth of satisfaction or your druggist hands you your money back. It's worth its weight in gold to men and women who can't get their stomachs regulated. It belongs in your home—should always be kept handy in case of a sick, sour, upset stomach during the day or at night. It's the quickest, surest and most harmless stomach doctor in the world.

FATE OF CHINA WITH AMERICA

Delegates from Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin Return to Homes

CONVENTION CLOSING TODAY

Miss Sui Wang Tells Missionaries the Orient Depends on U. S. for Salvation

"The fate of Christianity in China lies with the United States," was the declaration of Miss Sui Wang, who gave the leading address at last night's session of the convention of the Northwest Branch of the Women's Foreign Missionary society which was brought to a close at noon today.

Miss Sui Wang who is a resident of Chinkiang, China, and a senior at one of Albion college, Mich., quoted Napoleon as saying, "Let China sleep for when she wakes she will shake the world." She asserted that China is now awakening and the question of whether China shall be a Christian or a Heathen country is for the United States to answer.

She spoke on the deplorable conditions by which Chinese women are handicapped but said that despite this fact the women have advanced in civilization more rapidly than the men. She also declared that the smoking of opium is rapidly dying out in China. Following her address which was received with applause, Mrs. Kuhl gave a short talk on conditions found existing in India by Bishop F. A. Warne. Bishop Warne was to have addressed the convention but was unable to attend.

The program of the evening was opened with a vocal solo, "Faith," by James Kerr accompanied by Mrs. James Kerr. Dr. Walker gave a short talk after which Miss Emma Knox, a foreign missionary worker told a story about her experience in China.

At noon today the convention which has been in session at the First Methodist church, Eighth and King streets, during the last four days, was brought to a close and the 350 delegates from Indiana, Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin departed for their homes.

EXPLOSION IN BOILER OF LIGHT PLANT

A slight explosion in one of the boilers of the electric light plant on the north side this morning caused some damage to the boiler but nobody was injured. The cause of the explosion is not known. The boiler was burned slightly, the back and a pipe were blown out but the boiler was repaired and was in use again by noon.

MISS SEVERSON IMPROVED

Miss Theresa Severson, 1804 Loomis street, was pleasantly surprised at her home last evening by a large number of her friends. The evening was spent in playing games. At 11 o'clock a delicious lunch was served, the Misses Dahlen and McCormick assisting in the serving. Those present were the Misses Myrtle Engh, Fern Nichols, Helen Simon, Dorothy La Fleur, Frances Edberg, Hazel Davis, Greta Orton, Genevieve Gergensen, Hazel Byers, Myrtle Reynolds, Elsie Riek, Ida O'Leary, Esther Zimmer, Julia and Theresa Severson and Alvilda Moe. The guests departed at a late hour and all reported a good time.

CAR DERAILED

An empty car was tipped off the tracks in the east yards of the C. M. & St. P. railroad this morning because of a derailment. The trucks of the car were thrown from the tracks. A crew was sent to the scene, the car being replaced on the rails by noon.

CLUB TO ARGUE EQUAL SUFFRAGE

Franklins Postpone Debate on Commission Form of Government; Majority Favors Wilson

The Franklin club did not debate the question, "Resolved that the commission form of government should be adopted," last night because of the fact that P. W. Mahoney, leader of the negative, could not be present.

Instead of having the debate ten of the members of the club gave talks on their views of Woodrow Wilson, William H. Taft and Theodore Roosevelt, candidates for the presidency. Those who spoke on this topic were Professor Robinson, Professor Curtis, George B. Marvin and George Baum, the majority of these speakers being in favor of Wilson and advocating him for the presidency.

Next Thursday the club will discuss the question, "Resolved, that Wisconsin should ratify the amendment to the constitution providing for equal suffrage." Roy Ahlstrom will lead the affirmative of this question while Harry Robinson will lead the arguments for the negative and a good debate is looked for. The women's clubs of the city are all invited to be present at the debate.

WANT WILEY OF PURE CLOTHING

Associations of Dealers Are Lining Up to Prevent Adulteration of Cloth

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 11.—Wanted: A Dr. Wiley to fight for "pure cloth."

This might stand as a permanent "ad" for certain manufacturers, dealers and various associations dealing in goods for wearing apparel, now lining up to drive from the market the deadly "adulterated fabric," which is fast eating great holes in the pocket-book of the ultimate consumer, or see that it is branded and not passed off as a "pure food."

Would Brand Adulteration

The National Dyers and Cleaners association jumped boldly into the fight at the recent convention in St. Louis by passing a resolution favoring legislation to brand adulterated goods. They have pledged to their support other associations whose members handle fabrics in different ways and together with various manufacturers and dealers associations will send a committee to Washington to work for a national law requiring the branding of adulterated goods, just the same as the pure food law requires the branding of adulterated foods.

"The average house wife does not know that 50 per cent of the silk sold over the counters is adulterated," said W. D. Wade, chairman of the committee on resolutions of the Dyers association in St. Louis. "The general impression is that silk does not wear well, whereas pure silk is the best wearing material manufactured. The average silk dress will fall to pieces after being cleaned because it is adulterated. But pure silk can be dyed and cleaned and then made over."

"A manufacturer in some instances takes 16 ounces of silk and makes from 150 to 175 ounces from it."

Tin Makes Rustle

If your silk "rattles," or "rustles" it doesn't mean much, according to Wade, for you may be carrying around a mixture of glass, and tin, with a little silk thrown in. Silk is woven as a sort of web, and, according to information furnished the Dyers and Cleaners, some manufacturers fill in the web with the glass and tin mixture.

A "pure wool" bill has been introduced in the house by Representative Murdock, of Kansas, and this will be given the support of the "pure fabric" fighters. They hope to secure legislation so that a person may find in the stores, labelled before him, the pure linens and the adulterated linens, with the labels stating the percent of adulteration.

Wool would be labelled the same

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way so that one could tell whether he was buying an all wool suit of one of fifty per cent cotton. With the silks each bolt of goods would be marked, showing whether it was pure silk or adulterated and, if so, how much.

WILL PLEAD CONSPIRACY

LAKE CHARLES, La., Oct. 11.—

The prosecution will endeavor to show that a conspiracy was back of the riots at Grabow, in which three timber workers were killed last July, which resulted in the arrest and indictment for murder of fifty-two members of the brotherhood of timber workers, affiliated with the I. W. W. This was indicated today in the questioning of talesmen for jury service.

Most people would rather take advice from strangers.

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MISS OLTMAN WILL
ATTEND CONVENTION

Miss Harriet B. Oltman, supervisor of music of the La Crosse state normal will discuss "Primary Music" at the annual convention of the Northwestern Wisconsin Teachers' association to be held at Eau Claire Oct. 18 and 19. Over fifteen hundred delegates, the largest attendance in the history of the association, will be present at the convention. The convention will be under the direct charge of the execu-

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Miss Nancy Printz of this city is the guest of relatives at Black River Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. P. Medernack of Wilton were recent visitors here.

INNOCENT

PERSONALS

Dr. Geo. Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.
Mrs. S. E. Grant left Wednesday morning for Minneapolis, where she will visit friends for a short time.
Mrs. J. B. Griffith is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Drees, Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.
W. M. Rybold has returned to his home in this city after spending a few days visiting friends in Milwaukee.

Miss Mary West, who has been the guest of friends and relatives at Rushford, Minn., during the last few days, has returned to her home in this city.

E. H. Brown, La Crosse, is transacting business in Milwaukee today.

T. P. Clark, this city, left for Milwaukee yesterday to spend a few days transacting business.

The Rebekah convention of District No. 8, in which La Crosse is located, will be held in this city October 16.

Excellent carriages, Gateway City Transfer Line. Phone 179.—Advertisement.

Mrs. W. J. Rogers and Miss Sarah Paulson of De Soto were callers in town Tuesday.

Miss Minnie McAuley of this city has been at De Soto for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. McAuley.

Miss Helen Lee of Spring Grove is the guest of friends in the city.

Mrs. Albert Klein was a caller here from Union Ridge, Minn., during the week.

John Martinson of Preston, Minn., was a recent visitor with relatives in the city.

Mrs. Ross Green and son have returned to Cashton after a ten day visit here and at West Salem.

Van Houton Cocoa demonstration at Bedesem's, 729 So. 6th, all day Sat., Oct. 12.

Mrs. John Frazier of Sparta, who has been the guest of relatives in this city, has returned to her home.

Mrs. G. H. Chafee and daughter of Sparta spent the past week in the city, the guest of Mrs. Chafee's daughter, Mrs. George Hall.

A. C. Harvey of Fargo, N. D., has departed for his home after spending a few days visiting friends in this city.

Dance at Linker hall Saturday, Oct. 12. Music Kreutz orchestra.

Miss Lucy Hannifan of Eau Claire, Wis., is the guest of friends today.

Harry Martin of St. Paul has departed for his home after spending a few days visiting La Crosse friends.

Harry Palmer has received a high bred bird dog from Medford, Mich.

Mrs. Josie Toyce of this city is visiting relatives in Preston, Wis.

Mrs. Victor Belleue of Blair has been visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Hans O. Kattestad of Hale was the guest of relatives here during the past week.

County Treasurer John F. Hager of Whitehall was in the city on business Wednesday.

Parker-Hirt Machine Co. is the most modern Auto Home.

Miss Jennie Brovold has returned to the city after a two weeks' visit at Ettrick.

Mrs. J. Robert Johnson of this city visited with the J. D. Becket family at Hokah the fore part of the week.

D. W. Jones of Black River Falls was in the city on business Wednesday.

Miss Nancy Printz of this city is the guest of relatives at Black River Falls.

Mrs. G. I. Stratton and son Clara Miss Augusta Dambach of this city has been visiting relatives at Fountain City.

Of this city are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Markham at Independence.

GEORGIA LADY'S INVESTMENT

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Read Following Letter.

Headwig, Ga.—"I suffered untold agonies for five or six years with womanly troubles," writes Mrs. Della Long of this place. "Could not sit up but a few minutes at the time, and if I stood on my feet long, would faint."

I took \$5.00 worth of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and it did me \$50.00 worth of good. I can do my work, now, all the time, and suffer but very little.

I am recommending Cardui to my friends, and shall continue to do so. You may use this letter in any way you wish."

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You are urged to try Cardui if you are weak, tired, nervous, worn-out, or suffer from any of the pains peculiar to weak women, such as headache, backache, dragging pains, pains in side and other symptoms of womanly trouble.

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N. B.—Write to: Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn., for Special Instructions, and 64 page book, "Home Treatment for Women," sent in plain wrapper, on request.—Advertisement.

FOUR REGULARS OUT OF LINE-UP

Some of High's Best Men Too Done Up to Risk Injury Against the Indians

The high school football team will in all probability go into the Tomah Indian football game tomorrow with four of the regulars out of the line-up. Capt. Wiebrecht and Left Guard Hill have injured ankles which will keep them out of this game. Gunderson has a bad wrist as a result of the scrimmage with the normal team, and Marshall's knee is in very bad condition. All of these men are able to play but in view of the fact that a very hard game with the Eau Claire high school comes a week from tomorrow, Coach Seller thinks it best to keep these men out of the game with the Indians.

Zeisler will in all probability be shifted to full back, Renner taking Zeisler's regular place at end; Harris will play half back, Wiebrecht's regular position, who will take Hill's and Gunderson's places will be determined from tonight's practice.

The Indians have a very fast football team this year and are now in much better condition to play a game than they were at the opening of their season when Sparta defeated them 43 to 0.

A mass meeting held at the high school yesterday morning worked up the students to a high pitch of enthusiasm and they promise to outdo the rooting of the normal game.

:: Potted Politics ::

THE CANDIDATES TODAY
Republican—President Taft returns to Beverly from his long motor trip.

Democratic—Governor Woodrow Wilson, enroute east, stopping at Canton, O., and Cleveland.

Progressive—Col. Roosevelt enroute through Wisconsin to Oshkosh.

Socialist—Eugene V. Debs remained at home in Terre Haute, Ind.
Prohibition—Eugene W. Crafin was in Somerset county, Pa.

ON BOARD WILSON SPECIAL
CAR, CRESTLINE, Ohio, Oct. 11.—Highly pleased with his reception in Chicago which lasted nearly to the time of his departure at 2:55 a. m., Governor Wilson faced a day's campaigning in Ohio with a voice almost gone from continuous outdoor speaking. It was estimated today that Governor Wilson was seen by between 500,000 and 750,000 persons during his stop in Chicago yesterday.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 11.—Governor Hiram Johnson, Roosevelt's running mate, reached Philadelphia early this afternoon, to aid in the state fight against Senator Penrose and the republicans.

"In view of the fact that I never have my own way, this life has been a rather joyful journey,"—Rufe Hoskins.

It's queer how conscience bothers only people who mostly try to do right.

:: SOCIETY ::

SOCIAL BRIEFS

Miss Hazel Ruplin and Miss Laura Chamberlain entertained the Young People's union Monday evening at the home of Miss Ruplin. Plans were discussed and formed for a Halloween social which will be held in the church parlors Friday evening, October 25.

Mrs. Leonard Kleeber entertained several ladies at a dinner party Wednesday evening.

SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Christ Limpert celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at their home, 227 Mill street, recently. The guests began to arrive at 4 o'clock. At 5 o'clock they were seated at an elaborate wedding dinner. The young ladies who assisted in the serving were the Misses Antoinette and Etta Selke, Elsa Hoen and Rose Bauch. Mr. and Mrs. Limpert were the recipients of many beautiful gifts. The guests left at a late hour, having spent a most delightful evening.

MOTOR FROM CALEDONIA

From the Caledonia Journal: "The Ombre club of this place autoed to La Crosse last Tuesday, where they were entertained by Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Collieran."

This was a party of twenty who motored to La Crosse, where they were entertained by Dr. and Mrs. Collieran at a dinner after which they returned the same evening to their homes at Caledonia.

RAIN AT CHICAGO

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—An already soaked field and prediction for showers today indicated small likelihood of the Cubs and White Sox getting together in the city championship series today.

U. S. NAVAL REVIEW ON

BIGGEST NUMBER OF WARSHIPS EVER GATHERED IN LAND-LOCKED HARBOR LINED UP AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—With the arrival today of the destroyer squadron the mobilization of the Atlantic fleet was completed, and stretched in parallel lines all along the east side of the North river from Spuyten Duyvil to "twenty-third street, was the largest number of war craft ever gathered in a land enclosed harbor. Only once have more warships been grouped at once, and that was at the recent review of the British fleet by King George of Davenport.

This was the last of the "off" days of the fleet and was devoted to reception of visitors, and shore leave for as many as could be spared.

Only One "BROMO QUININE"
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ADMITS ARSON TO DESTROY HUSBAND

ST. PAUL, Oct. 11.—Asserting that a Mankato woman induced him to set fire to her home in order that her husband might be burned to death, Hugh Kelly of that city, indicted for arson, has made a written confession to Deputy State Fire Marshall L. U. Conley, say the state authorities.

The woman, Mrs. John Dolson, has been arrested as a result of Kelly's startling revelation.

CARDS WIN SECOND GAME FROM BROWNS

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Oct. 11.—Mowrey's single, followed by Evans' single and Stovall's error in the eighth inning, gave the local National league club the second game of the interleague series for the city championship with the American league here Thursday afternoon, by a score of 3 to 2. The Americans tallied first, getting a run in the second inning on one hit and two errors. In the fifth the National took the lead, scoring two runs on three passes, a double and another pass. Austin's single, a wild pitch and a single in the same inning tied it for the Americans. Koney made one hit in four attempts. Score: R H E Americans . . . 010010000—2 6 1 Nationals . . . 000020010—3 5 2 Batteries: Baumgardner, Mitchell and Stephens; Burk and Wingo.

No matter what he does a man is a good husband when his wife tells it to a woman with a better one.

What has become of the old-fashioned man who thought the boys wouldn't learn much from a woman teacher?

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Alice Zeppilli, star of the Grand Opera Co. La Crosse Theater, Nov. 30, matinee and night.

SALZER TO HOLD A FLOWER SHOW

New Greenhouses to Be Scene of Big Exhibit of Fall Flowers Early Next Month

The greenhouses of the John Salzer Seed company will be the scene of a big flower show the early part of next month. Chrysanthemums will be the main exhibits. The greenhouses now have over 4,000 mums of cut flower varieties, and about 2,000 potted plants in bloom. These will be the principle features, although there are thousands of plants of other varieties, including roses and carnations, in bloom. A special exhibit will be begonias of the beautiful Gloire de Lorraine variety, a window plant of great excellence. Several new and unique features have been devised and will be part of the show.

Those who obtained a chrysanthemum plant at the opening of the greenhouse and desire to compete in the prize contest, should watch the paper for further announcements. The prizes to be given are: First, palm; second, fern, and third, Araucaria. They will be awarded at the show.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Schneider of Alma were callers in town Tuesday.

The people who are weighed in the balance and found wanting always complain that the scales are out of order.

HOTEL CLERKS CALLED

SMALL ARMY OF HOSTELRY EMPLOYEES IN DYNAMITE TRIAL AS WITNESSES TO DAY

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 11.—After establishing the alleged movements of some of the accused ironworkers by means of telegrams and telegraph company employees, the government today expected to prove the same movements by a small army of hotel attaches and clerks. Half the little courtroom was filled with hotel clerks when court opened, and the district attorney said there were more to come.

Ortie McManigal and James B. McNamara, who were directly charged by the district attorney with most of the overt acts of the alleged dynamite conspiracy, used many aliases, according to the government, and their identification in many instances will rest wholly on hotel records.

My Answer

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| \$5.00 Lace Curtains, sale price.....\$3.69 | 85c Lace Curtains, and yard goods, sale price 63c |
| \$4.50 Lace Curtains, sale price.....\$3.38 | 75c Lace Curtains, and yard goods, sale price 55c |
| \$4.00 Lace Curtains, sale price.....\$2.98 | 65c Lace Yard Goods, sale price.....47c |
| \$3.50 Lace Curtains, sale price.....\$2.63 | 60c Lace Yard Goods, sale price.....43½c |
| \$3.00 Lace Curtains, sale price.....\$2.19 | 40c Lace Yard Goods, sale price.....30c |
| \$2.50 Lace Curtains, sale price.....\$1.78 | 35c Lace Yard Goods, sale price.....26c |
| \$2.00 Lace Curtains, sale price.....\$1.49 | 30c Lace Yard Goods, sale price.....22c |
| | 25c Lace Yard Goods, sale price.....17½c |

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M'GRAW STARTS AMES IN SEVENTH

(Continued from Page One.)

over Murray's head against the fence. Stahl up. Gardner scored on a wild pitch. The ball hit the ground in front of the plate, took a bad bound and rolled to the stand. Stahl flew out to Doyle on a high pop fly. Wagner flew out to Snodgrass in right center. Cady fanned. One run, one hit, no errors.

NEW YORK—Murray fanned. Wood disposed of the Giant star sticker with four pitched balls, the last strike being called. Merkle singled down the right foul line. Herzog up. Merkle stole second. Herzog out. Yerkes to Stahl. Merkle taking third. Meyers flew out to Lewis in deep center. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Wood faltered a bit in the second round, and after Markle singled the Smoke Boy braced up and disposed of the next two men without difficulty.

Third Inning
BOSTON—Wood singled to right, after having two strikes called in succession. Hooper walked on five pitched balls. Yerkes forced Wood. Tesreau to Herzog. Speaker out. Doyle to Merkle, after getting off badly. Lewis out. Fletcher to Markle. No runs, one hit, no errors.

After starting off in the hole, for the third successive inning, by allowing the first Red Sox up a hit, Tesreau with splendid support back of him, was again saved in the third with his hide intact.

NEW YORK—Fletcher was an easy out. Wood to Stahl, tapping the ball and bounding it directly to the Red Sox pitcher. Tesreau fanned on three pitched balls. Devore out. Gardner to Stahl. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Wood pitched but seven balls during this half of the inning and the Giants topped rapidly in one, two, three order. With the game at the one-third period, the Boston slaban appeared to have it all over his husky competitor and to be working along an easy stride, while Tesreau had labored all the way.

Fourth Inning
BOSTON—Gardner paraded, getting his pass on four pitched balls. Stahl forced Gardner. Tesreau to Fletcher. Stahl intended to sacrifice, but hit a little too hard and the punt went straight to Tesreau. Stahl going to second. Meyers' throw was high and wide and only a sensational stop by Doyle held the Red Sox manager at second. Wagner out. Merkle unassisted. Stahl going to third. Cady singled through short, scoring Stahl. Wood flew out to Murray. One run, one hit, no errors.

Cady's scratch hit which was too hot for Fletcher to handle, was good enough to shove Stahl across the plate with another tally in the Sox' half of the fourth. Meyers got another chance to try his arm in this inning with a throw to catch Stahl and

the effort went wide and only Doyle's classy recovery prevented trouble at this point.

NEW YORK—Doyle out. Yerkes to Stahl. Yerkes' throw was a pretty chance, an underhand snap made after a shoestring stop while the second baseman was under full sail. Snodgrass fanned. Murray fanned again on four pitched balls. No runs, no hits, no errors.

All doubt as to Wood's effectiveness was removed in this inning when he again mowed the Giants down in order. The Smoke Boy was alternating with a varied collection of stuff and mixing his speed and his slow ones in a fashion that completely bewitched the Giant stickers.

Fifth Inning
BOSTON—Hooper up. Hooper's line drive to deep right was pulled down by Murray, who made a sensational one-handed catch with his back against the concrete stand. Yerkes singled to left. Speaker forced Yerkes. Herzog to Doyle, and missed being doubled at first by a narrow squeak. Speaker was nabbed stealing. Meyers to Doyle. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Speaker again failed to deliver in this inning, and it was evident that the bad ankle handicapped him and would bother. Tesreau's offerings were again smashed hard but the Giants' support was holding together in splendid fashion and without a crack.

NEW YORK—Merkle out. Wagner to Stahl. Wagner's stop and running throw got him a hand from the Giant rosters. Herzog singled; his line drive smash being too warm for Stahl to cling to. It was the third hit scored off Wood, and a decidedly scratchy one at that. Meyers fanned on four pitched balls. Fletcher out. Wagner to Stahl. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Wagner's work during the last half of the fifth was gilt-edged and it was obvious that the Red Sox captain was out to retrieve his coaching blunder of yesterday afternoon. Both of his assists, one from in front of second and one from directly behind the bag, were of hair raising caliber.

Sixth Inning
BOSTON—Lewis fanned. Gardner fouled out to Herzog. Stahl fanned. No runs, no hits, no errors.

The first half of the sixth was Tesreau's best session. It was the first inning in which he disposed of Sox in one, two, three. Tesreau let the visitors down after a hit and the first time he kept them off first.

NEW YORK—Tesreau singled to left. Devore bunted safely, the ball caroming off Wood's glove and rolling out back of first. Doyle flew out to Yerkes. Snodgrass up. With the Giant rosters in an uproar, Wood was very deliberate and stalled along enough to quiet all Red Sox nerve. Snodgrass forced Devore. Yerkes to Wagner. Tesreau landing safely on third. Murray, the Giants' hitting hero of the series, grounded out to

Yerkes, forcing Snodgrass to Wagner. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Wood faltered for the first time in the second half of the sixth when Tesreau surprised everyone, including himself, by singling to left. Before the sensation had vanished the Giants were ready for a rally with three heavy hitters up, but Wood nipped things in the bud.

Seventh Inning
BOSTON—Wagner fanned. Tesreau's third strikeout. Cady struck out on three pitched balls. Wood fanned out to Murray. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Tesreau again showed splendid advantage by retiring the Sox on eight pitched balls. The big fellow appears to be getting stronger and steadier as the game progresses, and the fans gave him a cheering as he left the box.

NEW YORK—Merkle fanned. Herzog singled to Wagner. Meyers fanned out to Speaker. Fletcher doubled to right, down the foul line, scoring Herzog, who came all the way from first, crossing the plate with a beautiful slide, with time to spare. McCormick batted for Tesreau. McCormick grounded to Yerkes, who threw to Cady in time to catch Fletcher at the plate, when the latter tried to score from second. One run, two hits, no errors.

Fletcher made a nasty jump for the plate into Cady. For a moment it looked like a fight, and considerable hissing greeted the Giants' Cady. Ames replaced Tesreau, the latter having given five hits and two runs scored on him in seven innings. The runs, hits and errors at the end of the seventh were: Boston, 2, 5, 0; New York, 1, 7, 0.

Eighth Inning
BOSTON—Hooper popped a high fly to Fletcher. Yerkes out. Fletcher to Merkle. Speaker doubled to left. Lewis out. Fletcher to Merkle. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Ames gets away well in his first session, and thanks to good work by Fletcher, Speaker's double was restored at a harmless spot.

NEW YORK—With the top of the batting up, the stands came up en masse as though to start something. Devore out. Wagner to Stahl. Heinle again chalking up a thriller with his one-handed stop and running peg to first. Doyle fanned to Hooper. Snodgrass got a life when Wagner fumbled his grounder. Murray singled to left center on a hit and run, driving through the position Wagner had just left to cover second. Merkle fanned. No runs, one hit, one error.

Wood's nerve was good and a strikeout on Merkle nipped a threat to Giant rally following Wagner's error and Murray's single.

Ninth Inning
BOSTON—Gardner singled to center. Stahl sacrificed. Ames to Merkle. Wagner walked on four pitched balls. Cady forced Wagner. Fletcher to Doyle. Wood singled to right, scoring Gardner and sending

Cady to third. Hooper fanned to Snodgrass. One run, two hits, no errors.

NEW YORK—Herzog fanned to Speaker. Meyers fouled out to Cady. Fletcher fanned out to Stahl. No runs, no hits, no errors.

- World's Series Figures
- NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—The following attendance and receipts figures were announced at the end of the fourth world's series game here today:
- Attendance, 36,502.
- Gross receipts, \$76,644.
- Players' share, \$41,387.76
- National commission receives \$7,664.40.
- To be divided among the management of both clubs, \$27,591.81.

MORE LIGHT ON FUND

MORGAN'S PARTNER GIVES NEW DETAIL OF CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING HARRIMAN COLLECTION

WASHINGTON, Oct. 11.—E. T. Statesbury, Philadelphia millionaire and former partner of J. P. Morgan, told the Clapp committee today that he collected \$165,795 in eastern Pennsylvania for the 1904 republican campaign and \$101,057 in 1908. He also threw a new ray of light on the "Harriman fund." He said that in 1904 Treasurer C. N. Bliss told him (Bliss) had to raise \$150,000 for New York state, and that Harriman would give \$50,000.

Statesbury was one of the minor witnesses examined today before the committee adjourned at noon until Monday.

Death of stars marked the session today of the committee. Charles Seymour Edwards, wealthy West Virginian, was a witness on today's list. He was the bull moose leader in his state and is said to have contributed heavily to the progressives.

Fred W. Upham came from Chicago to disclose further details of republican contributions four years ago. Another witness was A. Arnowitz, of New York.

Today's testimony promised to be tame after the committee's stirring experiences yesterday with John D. Archbold, Standard Oil head, and Chairman Hill of the republican national committee. Archbold told how he and H. H. Rogers tore up a receipt for their \$100,000 contribution to Treasurer C. N. Bliss, in 1904. He said: "There was no pleasure in looking at it."

Chairman Hill reiterated his charge that "millions" were spent to nominate Roosevelt at Chicago. He fixed the sum at \$2,000,000 and charged George W. Perkins with "being the Harvester trust."

COMMISSION HAS POWERS ENOUGH

Interstate Commerce Board Not in Favor of More Jurisdiction Over Express Companies

That the law granting the interstate commerce commission jurisdiction over the express companies is not in need of amendment in the opinion of members of the commission was the information forwarded to Congressman John J. Esch, today in reply to a request for information on the situation which he sent the commission about a week ago. The letter to the commission was sent at the request of a large number of business men in Clark, Trempealeau and Eau Claire counties who petitioned Congressman Esch to use his influence to obtain legislation in congress granting the interstate commerce commission increased powers over the express companies. The petitions alleged that the present express rates and classifications are exorbitant and unjust.

According to the letter received by Mr. Esch from John H. Marble, secretary of the commission today the commission's power over the express companies as outlined in the last law is sufficient to compel the companies to establish equitable and reasonable express rates and practices. He said that the commission is now engaged in an exhaustive investigation of the business of the various companies in the United States and that an order has been issued by many of the practices of the companies have been reformed. Thousands of new rates have been ordered, he says, together with an order to show cause why these rates should not be continued. These rates cover all commodities and all sections of the country. It is not necessary, he concludes, that the existing laws be amended in order that express rates and practices be made just and reasonable.

DEFENSE READY FOR A SURPRISE

Becker's Lawyers Say They Can Prove State's Eye Witness Was Not on the Scene

NEW YORK, Oct. 11.—That the Becker defense has a big surprise up its sleeve and expects to riddle completely the case of the prosecution when its inning comes, was the intimation of Chief Counsel John F. McIntyre when the trial was resumed today. He declared that he would absolutely nullify the evidence of Louis Krause, the waiter who positively identified Whitey Lewis, Lefty Louis and Gyp the Blood, as the men who actually fired the shots that killed Rosenthal, and Jack Sullivan as the man who bent over and felt of Rosenthal's pulse to find out whether he was dead. McIntyre says he has witnesses who will prove positively that Krause was not on the scene when Rosenthal was slain.

That the defense plans to shift the actual murder on Harry Vallon is generally believed, although McIntyre positively refuses to disclose his plans until the case of the state is complete. His questioning of witnesses, however, has shown that he plans to make Vallon, Rose, Webber and Schepps far more responsible for the killing than they have told the district attorney they were.

LINDEN FOUND NOT GUILTY IN U. S. COURT

The jury called in the Linden money order forgery case returned a verdict of not guilty in United States district court this morning. John McLoecker of Camp Douglas was arraigned this morning on a charge of assault upon Chief Inspector Burlingame. According to the plaintiff, McLoecker attacked him while he was inspecting his saloon. Burlingame was a revenue inspector at the time of the alleged assault. The case will probably go to the jury late this afternoon.

PEORIA PICKED FOR CONVENTION

The 1913 convention of the Northwest Branch of the Women's Foreign Missionary society will be held at Peoria, Ill. At this morning's meeting Peoria was selected as the next convention city, following which the convention was adjourned.

ATHLETICS WIN

At Philadelphia: R H E
Nationals.....100010000—2 7 2
Americans.....01100200x—5 7 0
Batteries: Rixey, Chalmers and Walsh, Moran; Brown and Thomas.

CUBS AHEAD

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—At the end of the eighth inning today the score of the Cubs-Sox city series stood 3 to 1. Score:
Cubs.....00001000
Sox.....100000000
Batteries: Cheney and Archer; Cicotte and Easterly.

HEADS HOOSIER MEDICS

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 11.—Dr. A. C. Kimberlin of Indianapolis was elected president of the Indiana State Medical association today. Dr. D. W. Stevenson of Richmond was elected treasurer and Dr. C. N. Combs of Terre Haute was re-elected secretary.

LOCAL GREEKS TO SEND MONEY

But Few in La Crosse Are Likely to Enlist for War Against Turkey

It is probable that a few La Crosse Greeks may go to help out their country in the event that Turkey and Greece declare war but there are not many Greeks in this city and the most of those who are here are engaged in business so that they cannot leave. As their business will not allow them to go toward although they would all like to help out their country in case hostilities are begun, they will aid Greece with money.

It was declared today that as soon as the news is received here that war between the two countries has been declared, the La Crosse Greeks will hold a meeting at which time money will be subscribed to be sent home to aid in the war. That \$500 at least can be easily raised at a meeting of that kind was the declaration of George Mitsopolis today.

"Most of the Greeks in this city are engaged in business," said Mitsopolis today, "and for that reason we cannot go to war much as we would like to because of the fact that our business would suffer as a consequence. There are only about eighteen Greeks in town but although we can't be there to fight we'll send money to help the country."

A company of Greeks has been organized in St. Paul while another has been organized in Milwaukee and these troops are preparing to return to Greece to help in case of war. The St. Paul company left yesterday for New York from where they will sail for Greece.

JUDGE'S SON KILLED

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 11.—Cecil Timlin, son of Associate Justice William H. Timlin, the Wisconsin supreme court, died in horrible agony, today in Milwaukee hospital, from burns sustained in the wreck of a switch engine on which he was fireman in the West Milwaukee yards of the St. Paul road, late last night. The engine side-swiped a string of box cars. Engineer Frank J. Farrell, Milwaukee, jumped and escaped uninjured. Timlin was caught in the wreckage and horribly scalded by escaping steam.

The accident happened on Timlin's twenty-fifth birthday.

HARVESTER AUDITOR TESTIFIES

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—James King, auditor for the International Harvester company, on the witness stand in the hearing of the government's suit to dissolve the alleged Harvester trust, testified today that in August, 1911, the total assets of the company amounted to \$223,724,555. The sales for the year ending at that time were \$108,000,000, he said. King identified the minutes of the meeting of the directors and the executive committee of the Harvester company covering a period from August, 1902, to August, 1911.

SOX PLAYERS HURT

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—Captain Harry Lord and "Buck" Weaver, left fielder and shortstop respectively for the White Sox, were so badly injured during the city championship game with the Cubs here this afternoon that both were carried from the field unconscious. Miller of the Cubs sent a short fly into left and both Lord and Weaver went for it at top speed. They came together with such force that both were knocked down.

MESSINGER BOY DETECTIVE

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 11.—Bert B. Harris, formerly of Fort Wayne, Ind., charged with having stolen \$350 from Gus Rahke, a former noted gambler, was brought into court today, but his case was continued until Wednesday. Harris was arrested after he is alleged to have been recognized by Jimmy Porpora, a fourteen year old messenger boy whom he is alleged to have sent to Rahke for the money, representing that it was to be used as a campaign contribution.

JUDGE CARPENTER ACCEPTS

CHICAGO, Oct. 11.—Judge Orrin Carter wrote to Mayor Harrison this afternoon that he would serve as the third member of the board of arbitration in settling the differences between the electric transportation lines in Chicago and the employees. He said he could devote no time to the arbitration work until the end of October term of the state supreme court, which will be about October 20th.

JUDGE HIT BY ROCK

LAWRENCEBURG, Ind., Oct. 11.—Judge Francis M. Thompson, 52, is today recovering from injuries received when struck on the head with a stone by James W. West, 52, a stone cutter, while campaigning for re-election on the republican ticket. West, who was arrested, claimed the judge did not treat him right when his wife was granted a divorce.

STATE ASKS RECEIVER

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 11.—The state of Indiana on relation of the relation of the attorney general today filed suit for receiver for the Great Western Life Assurance company, alleging the company has wrongfully paid to Daniel P. Roberts \$65,000 for selling stock.

FORTUNE PAYS HUGE TAX

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 11.—The estate of John Jacob Astor today paid the state \$3,500.00 as transfer tax under the inheritance tax law.

La Crosse Theatre

SATURDAY, OCT. 12
MATINEE and NIGHT
The Biggest Comedy Success
of the Season



Prices: Matinee, 50c 75c,
\$1.00; Night, 25c, 50c, 75c,
\$1.00, \$1.50.
SEATS SELLING

Sunday, Oct. 13
MATINEE 2:30
NIGHT 8:15

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THE REAL MUSICAL
COMEDY SUCCESS

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ORLOU BARTON
LEW ROSE

AND ALL-STAR CAST
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Girlie Korus

Large Company and Production

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PRICES—Matinee, Children
25c, Adults 50c, Night, 35c,
50c, 75c; Gallery 25c.
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NORWAY

Land of the Midnight Sun

Lecture by noted Norwegian
Author

J. JANSEN FUHR
The Biggest Scandinavian
Travel Festival ever seen in
this country.

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MONDAY, Mat. and Evening

With the company is the
prominent pianist Miss Joun-
strom Mollin.

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Gallery 15c.

Seats Reserved at Miss Lar-
son's Candy Store

TUESDAY, OCT. 15th

Matinee only, 2:30

SOUSA AND HIS BAND

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Miss Virginia Root, Soprano

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iste

Herbert L. Clark, Cornetist

Heard the World Around

Matinee, 50c, 75c, \$1.00; Gal-
lery 25c.

Seats Monday Morning

HAMILTON TEAM DEFEATS WASHBURN

In the best played game of the season the Hamilton school indoor baseball team defeated the Washburn school nine by the count of 13 to 12 at the Hood street grounds yesterday afternoon. The game was a tie until the ninth, when in the last half a home run smash by the first man up settled the game in favor of the Hamilton team.

The Franklin school team won two games from the Jefferson club yesterday, the teams playing off a postponed game which the Franklins captured 8 to 6, while they took the regular contest by the one sided count of 21 to 1. The games were played at Copeland park.



The Children's Corner

The Enchanted Parrot

By AGNES GROZIER HERBERTSON

ONE day as So-So the gnome was flying across Cuckoo Common, he saw a little black bush not far from the box where the Cuckoo grew on Cuckoo Common were green with leaves, and so were This-Tree, and That-Tree, and the Other-Tree, and even the Here-and-There-Tree which ran about on castors; but the little bush which So-So saw was quite black and had not a leaf upon it. So-So the gnome stopped flying across the Common in order to look at it. And when he had looked very carefully he saw that, although the little bush had not any leaves at all, it had one large berry which stuck to its inmost bough, and was as red as a cherry. So-So put out his hand to pluck the berry, and immediately a little voice came from the bush, and it said, "Pray do not pluck my red berry. It pleases me, and it will only harm you." "That is simply nonsense," said So-So to the gnome. "For how could a common red berry hurt anybody? I will just take it home and look at it, and then bring it back again." And he plucked the berry and flew away home. So-So's little house was under This-Tree. It had two windows, and two chimneys, and two steps leading up to its door. So-So set the red berry on his mantelshelf, and made his porridge, and sat in the chimney-corner and ate it. When he had eaten all the porridge on the platter, he set the dish aside and took down the red berry. And he looked at it, and looked at it, and it seemed to grow redder and redder; and he saw there were two little black spots on it like little black eyes. "This is the most extraordinary berry I have ever seen!" cried So-So the gnome. "I wonder what would happen if I planted it?" And he set the red berry in the flowerpot on his window-sill and covered it over with earth till it was quite hidden. And immediately a voice came from the flowerpot, and that was the voice of the red berry from the black bush; and it said, "Thank you very much, So-So; this is exactly what I wanted!" The So-So went back to the chimney-corner and fell fast asleep, for he was quite the laziest gnome on Cuckoo Common. Indeed, he was so lazy that he would not lace his shoes. When he woke up it was nearly evening-time, and he found that the flowerpot had flown into a hundred places and lay about on the floor, and the earth was scattered with the flowerpot. And there was not a sign of the red berry anywhere, but on the mantelshelf a large Red Parrot.



"Ha, ha, ha! Here I come to peck your ankles all the way round."

The Red Parrot was as pleased as anything, and he fluttered up and down the table, and poked out his breast, and preened his wings. Then he said, "I am the Red Parrot from the little black bush. Once I lived with the little black bush; but now I am come to live with you." "That is a likely story!" cried So-So the gnome. "Let me tell you this: I do not care in the least for parrots, and there is not any room for you in my little house. So you had better hurry away home as quickly as you can." "There is no need to hurry away," said the Red Parrot, "for my home is in the little house of So-So the gnome, which is under This-Tree. And there I intend to remain."

Then So-So the gnome was in a terrible way, and he began to weep great tears. "What have I done," cried weeping. "This is the most dreadful thing that has ever happened to me in my life! If there is one thing I don't want in my little house it is a red parrot." "That is as it may be," said the Red Parrot. "But you will soon grow quite used to me, for here I am, and here forever and ever I mean to remain!" And with that the Red Parrot flapped his wings; and he flew across So-So's kitchen and perched on the mantelshelf. Then So-So the gnome wept harder than before, but the Red Parrot took no notice; and So-So wished with all his might that he had not plucked the berry on the little black bush.

he, "that this dreadful Red Parrot should find its way to my little grey house?" "Ah," said the Red Parrot, "that question is easily answered. Listen, So-So. I am the red berry which was on the little black bush on Cuckoo Common. The little black bush wanted to keep me at home; but I wanted to fare forth and see the world. Now, I could only be free, if somebody planted me in the earth, for then I might turn into a red parrot. Now you, my little So-So, bore me home and planted me in your flowerpot. For that reason I turned into a red parrot; and I am your red parrot, and with you I intend to remain!" "Goodness gracious me!" cried So-So.

At last the Red Parrot said in a sleepy tone, "My little So-So, your kitchen is very untidy with bits of flowerpot and crumbling earth. Now, an untidy kitchen annoys me dreadfully, and when I am annoyed I always want to peck." "That is all very well," cried So-So. "But you know who broke the flowerpot and scattered—"

"I am dreadfully annoyed!" cried the Red Parrot. "I am just about to peck! If I peck you on the arm, you will know that I cannot help it, won't you? Ha, ha, ha! Here I come!" and he flew off the mantelshelf.

"Oh, dear Red Parrot, I am just about to pick everything up!" cried So-So the gnome. Then he got down on his knees on the floor and picked up all the bits of flowerpot, and he fetched his broom and shovel and brushed up all the earth, and the Red Parrot looked on with his head on one side.

When So-So had quite finished the Red Parrot said: "There is one thing about me, my little gnome, of which I had better tell you. It is this, whenever I see anybody wearing a pair of shoes that are unlaced, I feel dreadfully annoyed, and when I feel dreadfully annoyed like that, I want to peck his ankles as hard as I can peck."

Then So-So the gnome was as angry as angry, and he stamped his foot upon the ground. "Well, I declare!" cried he. "It would be a nice thing if I had to lace up my shoes at an hour like this, when it is nearly bedtime, and not a soul can see them!"

"I see them," said the Red Parrot, "and they annoy me dreadfully. Yes, I am dreadfully annoyed. Ha, ha, ha! Here I come to peck your ankles all the way round! But you will know that I do not mean to hurt you. I have to do things like that when I am dreadfully annoyed."

"Oh, dear Red Parrot, I have hardly any meal left," cried So-So, "and my fire is nearly out! Won't you go and have supper with the Cinder-Witch, or with the Berry-Man, or with the Wiry-Wriggler?" And he began to weep.

"No, indeed!" said the Red Parrot in a scornful voice. "How do I know that the Cinder-Witch has any meal, or the Wiry-Wriggler a clean saucepan, or the Berry-Man a bright fire? Come, my little So-So, I am hungry as can be, and I must have my supper!"

Then So-So made porridge for the Red Parrot and the Red Parrot ate it from a deep dish, and when he had finished, he said, "That was quite nice porridge. I shall have another dishful in the morning. All I want now is a basket in which to sleep."

"Alas!" cried So-So, "I have not a basket in my little grey house. Oh, dear Red Parrot, won't you go away, and—"

"I shall not go away, not for anything," said the Red Parrot.

So-So the gnome wept again, harder than before. When he had finished weeping he said, "You must perch upon the mantelshelf or window-sill, for I have not a basket."

"Some parrots like to perch, but I am not one of them," said the Red Parrot. "I like to sleep in a basket. And let me tell you this, my little gnome, if I have not a basket in which to sleep I shall be dreadfully annoyed, and very likely I shall pinch your cheek and pull your hair. But you must not mind in the least, for you will know that I do it only because I am dreadfully annoyed."

Then So-So dried his tears and flew off to the Basket-Maker's. And the Basket-Maker gave him a basket in exchange for the six finest cabbages in his garden.

The Red Parrot was as pleased as could be, and he ran up and down the mantelshelf, and poked out his breast and preened his wings; but he did not get into the basket.

Then he perched on a corner of the mantelshelf, and his head went nod, nod, and his eyes went blink, blink. And So-So the gnome sat in the chimney-corner and watched him.

"I was not always a red berry," said the Red Parrot in a sing song, sleepy voice. "Once before, I was a red parrot; but that is a long, long time ago. I lived with the Disagreeable Baker, and he gave me everything that I fancied. But one day the Baker's Son found a Pinker Seed on the highway and buried it in a shady place; and when the Pinker Seed had turned round three times, I became again a red berry on the little black bush."

Now the Red Parrot had hardly finished his speech when his eyes closed altogether, and his head ceased nodding and he was fast asleep. And So-So the gnome stole out of his little grey house under This-Tree, and flew with all his might to the house of the Seed-Merchant.

The Seed-Merchant gave him one Pinker Seed in exchange for three jars of honey which So-So had in his cupboard.

The Pinker Seed was as large as a big potato. So-So bore it away gladly, and buried it carefully in a shady place. Then he flew home.

The Red Parrot was sleeping in his basket as soundly as could be. "Ah, neighbor," said So-So the gnome, "soon you will be again a red berry on the little black bush; and I will never again pluck you, not even if you ask me to!" And with that he sat down in the chimney-corner and fell asleep.

When So-So awakened in the morning the basket was empty. And when he searched through his little grey house there was not a sign of the Red Parrot to be seen. "Ha, ha," said So-So to himself. "I wonder how the Red Parrot likes being a berry again on the little black bush?" And he laughed again.

Then he made his porridge and sat down to eat it; and he had just finished, when there came a tap-tap at the door, and in walked the Red Parrot.

"Good morning, my little So-So," said he. "I see you are having porridge for breakfast. Well, I shall not want any porridge, for I have just had a very nice breakfast off that Pinker Seed!"



No Giants tall nor Dragons grim
Could stand before his spear,
He quickly conquered every one,
For he was free from fear.

The Knight

"If I had lived long, long ago, When Knights were all the rage," said Jimmie Jones, "my name might stand To-day on history's page. I must admit if I'd lived then I would not be here now! But it is fun to make believe I was there anyhow."

"How, 'dressed in steel from head to heel, He fought for people's rights, And won in many a tournament, And vanquished other Knights. 'No Giants tall nor Dragons grim Could stand before his spear; He quickly conquered every one, For he was free from fear.' 'This all, you know, is make believe; But still I feel, somehow, I'd like to have lived in those old days— But also to have been now!'"

And with that he hobbled into his basket and fell asleep.

Then So-So the gnome was in a great way, for he saw that the Red Parrot had played him a trick; and he sat on his doorstep and wept.

And as he wept there came along the Beggar Boy who lived on Cuckoo Common. The Beggar-Boy was singing like a lark and looking as happy as could be. When he saw So-So sitting weeping on his doorstep, he stopped and asked him why he wept.

"Alas!" cried So-So, "I am weeping because no one will buy from me my very valuable red parrot which is much too large to live in my little grey house."

"How much do you want for your valuable parrot?" asked the Beggar-Boy.

And So-So replied: "I will sell him

for six jars full of honey and a canister of meal."

"That is exactly what I have in my cupboard," said the Beggar-Boy—and So-So knew that quite well, for he had locked into the cupboard as he passed by—but it is not too much to give for a really valuable red parrot, so my little So-So, I will pay your price."

So the Beggar-Boy carried away the basket containing the Red Parrot, who was still slumbering.

And he sent to So-So the gnome six jars full of honey and a canister of meal.

Then So-So the gnome was full of joy, and he kept on being quite happy till he met the Beggar-Boy, and learnt how the Red Parrot ran errands for him, stirred his porridge, and guarded his house when any danger was near. "It is a very valuable parrot, and well worth the price, my So-So," said the Beggar-Boy.

But not a word said So-So the gnome.

HOW UNCLE RESCUED US

ALL came of pretending to be fisherfolk. Auntie sent us down to play on the beach, and said, "Now, be good children, and don't get into mischief!" So we didn't. By and by we caught sight of the big fisher boat coming in. Joe and Mike Ransom were rowing like anything; it seemed jolly to be great, strong fishermen. They rowed right up to the shingly beach, then jumped out and moored the boat to a spiky sort of pole sticking in the sands. When they had gone, Johnny said, "Let's have a peep into the boat." I thought how nice and cool it would be in that great dark boat. So I went back to Johnny, and said we would just get in for the weeny weeniest while. There were such a lot of funny things in the boat—fishing tackle, and nets, and crab cages, and no end of other queerities. It took quite a longish time to look at them all. Then we got the idea of pretending to be fishermen. We cast the nets into the sea, and waited for the fish to get into them. It was great fun, far jollier than building sand castles. We went on playing for a long, long time, and we never thought about going home till we felt the boat moving, and then it was too late! We climbed on to the seats and looked out, and then we saw nothing but water all round us! Johnny seemed to like it. He said, "We'll have to wait till the tide goes out again, so let's go on being fishermen."



Johnny gave a yell, for I clutched at him.

The boat was going quite quickly, for the wind was blowing it along, and soon we were quite out of the bay, where we had been playing on the beach. We tried to manage one of the oars, but we couldn't even lift it. Then we found a longish stick at the bottom

sailors in it, and they rowed quickly to us. couldn't see what was going to happen to us. A big steamboat might run us down in the night, or we might be wrecked on the rocks.

We were so tired that we must have gone to sleep, for when we wakened up we found it was getting light again, and the boat had got stuck in between two rocks. We had no idea where we were at all. There were big rocks everywhere, and not a bit of land to be seen. I climbed out of the boat to

ed and wondered whatever we were to do next. Johnny got awfully cross, and said it was all my fault for helping him into the boat; but that's just like a boy, to blame his sister, and then we called each other names, and got angry and miserable. We were just starving, and there was nothing to eat, not even a tiny crab or shellfish. Johnny said we would have to chew his leather belt. That very minute I saw a ship in the distance! We got so excited, and waved and waved our handkerchiefs, but they were too small to be seen; so I took off my scarlet cotton frock, and tied it to a stick, and stood on the seat and twirled it round and round, holding it as high as ever I could. When they came close to us, they lifted us into the boat, and then rowed us back to the steamer, where we were taken on deck. The captain began asking us questions, and all the passengers came crowding round, but we were ever so much too tired to explain anything.

"What's your auntie's name?" called out one of the passengers, and we told him.

"Why," he said, "I used to know her years ago. I've come from Australia to search for her. This little girl reminded me so much of her, I felt sure she must be a relation."

He asked us a lot more questions, and we told him everything. "How would you like me for a new uncle?" he asked. When we reached our cottage, we rushed in to auntie with a war whoop of joy. She couldn't speak, she was so delighted to see us again. She just took us in her arms and kissed and kissed us.

Then she caught sight of uncle in the doorway. She stared at him in surprise for one minute, then ran up to him. "Why, it's Jack!" she exclaimed, and her eyes were full of tears, but we knew she was as glad as glad could be.

After that we had a real tea party, with all the best cups and saucers, and heaps of cake.

Oh, I nearly forgot! Uncle and aunt are going to be married at the old church in our village, and after that they are going to Australia, and taking us with them. Uncle has a lovely house there, with miles and miles of beautiful gardens, full of orange and lemon trees.

very glad and thankful. And they thought that it was very nice to be able to walk about without having people jumping out of bushes and calling out "Boo" to them. And they thought what a clever and wonderful person Leo the Lion was, and they asked him very kindly and very earnestly if he would be king over them.

And Leo the Lion nodded very stiffly

THE BAD BEAR

WHEN all the animals saw Billy Boo Bear sitting down and doing all the lesson things that Leo the Lion had given him, they were



Then he put on his royal crown and took a big stick and started off to walk all round his kingdom, so that all the animal people that lived there might bow down to him and tell him how beautiful and handsome he was. Directly he had gone Billy the Boo Bear threw all his lesson books away, and he turned head over heels with his body and wondered whatever he

could do, because he felt so glad. And he made a rule that whenever anybody saw him they had to bow down very low and tell him how beautiful and handsome he was, and he told Jacko the Monkey to carry his tail for him.

Presently he met Bun the Rabbit, with his two beautiful cousins, and they were all coming back from bowing very nicely to Leo the Lion. When Bun the Rabbit heard the very jiggly kind of music of Billy the Boo Bear, he began to dance very quickly and very beautifully.

But Bun the Rabbit wasn't used to dancing, and so he thought that it would be very nice to stop.

And he stopped with his hands and he stopped with his head, but he couldn't stop with his feet.

And the two cousins of Bun the Rabbit were very surprised!

But Billy the Boo Bear thought that it was very funny and nice, and he still went on playing jiggly music with his mouth.

And Bun the Rabbit got very hot and angry, but he still went on dancing with his feet.

And he tried to call out and tell Billy the Boo Bear about what a nasty person he was, but the dancing on his legs took away all his breath and so he couldn't. And he got hotter and hotter in his body and redder and redder in his face, until Billy the Boo Bear couldn't stop himself from laughing any longer! And he laughed very happily all down the tin whistle.

And, of course, then all the jiggly music stopped, and Bun the Rabbit stopped also, and he called out angrily with his voice and chased very fast after Billy the Boo Bear. But the legs of Billy the Boo Bear were very swift, and the legs of Bun the Rabbit were very tired with the dancing, and so Billy the Boo Bear got away safely, and he turned head over heels with his body and he was very happy.

GOOD SUGGESTIONS FOR FALL ATTIRE

Edited by
MAY MANTON

FASHIONABLE COSTUMES FOR VARIOUS OCCASIONS.

THE opening of the cold weather season is always of especial interest in matters sartorial for there is a long time ahead for the wearing of pretty costumes and occasions of so many sorts are likely to arise that an interesting variety is needed. It has been said times without number that the present is a silk season and undoubtedly that is true, for silk is shown in many new weaves admirably adapted to suits as well as to gowns and it is always a beautiful material, always a pleasant one to wear, but, because all this is true, it by no means must be understood that wool has not an equal place. Broadcloth in light weight makes beautiful gowns as well as tailored costumes, serge is delightfully light in weight and pleasant to wear, poplin is having great vogue and there are certain stand-bys that must never be forgotten, while, among the novelties are silk and wool mixtures that are charming. Velvet is a pronounced favorite, also, both for entire costumes and for trimmings and velvet is woven in the corduroy style while the regulation velvet and the chiffon are equally correct. Again street costumes are frequently made with the coat of one material and the skirt of another so that altogether, the season is one of infinite charm as well as infinite variety.

There are so many kinds of coats worn that it is extremely difficult to single out any one as being in especially good style but there is a tendency toward anything that suggests the Directoire and revers, waist coats, high collars and tight sleeves with flaring cuffs are to be noted upon many of the handsomest suits shown. Then, too, there is tendency toward the introduction of a few plaits in skirts, so that, while the straight, narrow lines remain and the plaits must be pressed flat, we have greater freedom in walking. For coats of such style satin and velvet seem especially desirable and the most charming costumes are made with coats of the kind over skirts of wool either in plain color or in stripes or checks.

The blouses that are worn with such suits are, for the most part, made of thin material in matching color. When it is said that the separate blouse is without style, a false impression is given. As long as we wear tailored suits, we must wear blouses of thin materials, but the preference for the white blouse is a thing of the past. This season, it will be worn only with the essentially useful suit. The handsome one must have a waist of a harmonizing color although the material may be silk, satin, chiffon, almost anything that may be liked.

Long coats that can be worn over entire gowns are fashionable also; consequently, the gown will make a rather important feature of the winter. For the most part, it is made in a semi-princesse style and of silk, satin or light weight wool material that can be worn within doors as well as under the heavy coat, and the styles for these gowns are charming. Happily for the woman who is ambitious of a pretty throat, high collars open at the front are among the smartest of all things for indoor wear and, consequently, our throats will be free of compression for some hours of the day at least. Variations of the Robespierre idea are conspicuous and there seems to be equal prominence given to the very high collar that is folded over in military style and to the softer rolled one that falls away from the throat and is finished with becoming lace frills.

For the accessories of dress are used a great many different fancy materials but net that is embroidered with beads is especially smart and some wonderfully lovely effects are obtained by its use. Steel beads on black net make a very handsome effect and are beautiful in combination with the favorite gray, while evening gowns in light effects show embroidery executed in bugs in white and pale colors used in the most attractive ways, and, for the costume for afternoon wear, heavy lace often shows a few beads or jewels outlining a portion of the pattern to give brightness and relief. For afternoon occasions, we are wearing a great many skirts with short trains and heavy silks and poplin are charming in that way in combination with either lace or embroidery.

For the younger contingent, silks of the more youthful sort are liked and pretty, soft wool materials are smart for indoor wear with a generous amount of plaid used in combination or as trimming, for Scotch plaid is extremely fashionable and always well adapted to costumes for the younger folk.

Long sleeves are conspicuous and soft frills are extensively worn and, as they are always dainty and feminine in effect, they are welcome. For the more dressy gowns, they are made of lace but for the simpler ones, fine muslin is used and a great many sleeves are opened well up from the wrists, finished with frills and buttoned into place after the gown is slipped on.

Moiré effects are exceedingly fashionable and all the moiré silks are used extensively both for entire gowns and for trimming, while moiré velours makes exceedingly handsome coats for little girls. It is pretty with trimming of the same material in lighter color or with trimming of satin or broadcloth. Brown in one of the rich nut shades is peculiarly handsome in the material and brown is in the height of style while it suits little girls perfectly well. A long coat of brown moiré velours with trimming of cream color makes as handsome a wrap as could be asked.

THE NEW FABRICS.

NEW fabrics are being shown already and they are so beautiful that they make an interesting study as pictures quite apart from their material use. That we will have a season of much silk and of many silks is true beyond any question and marvelously beautiful colors and weaves are being exploited. What is known as gros d'Indes, a very soft, very beautiful grosgrain silk, is offered in fascinating colors and makes ideal suits and coats for the early season. Chameleon, or changeable effects are conspicuous and pages might be written of the wonderful beauty that is obtained by combinations of colors. Three different hues in one silk are by no means uncommon and the results are charming. Gold color and violet making the warp with pale green the wool produce a marvelously beautiful result. Stronger color is found in the combination of red and orange with blue wool and again we see orange and blue with a pale gold-colored wool, all these breads being combined to give results

incredible and very beautiful. Moiré effects are conspicuous in the new showing, too, and there is a gros d'Indes finished in this way and there is also moiré velours, an old friend comes back in a new guise. We have known for some time that velvet would be extremely worn throughout the season, but Paris is wearing velvet today as finish on costumes and trimmings; the new brocades are exquisitely soft, light of weight and pliable, are not heavy in the least. Chameuse is to be extensively used both for simple and elaborate costumes, as stated last week, and the new chameuse is woven on a crêpe back and it is claimed gains added durability.

If the later season carries out the promise of the early display, materials will leave no room for criticism and apparently leave no demand unsupplied. It is quite evident that we will see a great deal of dark blue and of black relieved by bright color and the fashion is a very generally becoming one. All shades of yellow are being put to use and yellow coats are being worn over white gowns both for

SMART COATS FOR THE YOUNGER FOLK.

COMFORTABLE coats are really essentials of the autumn and winter, and just now there are so many beautiful materials used for their making that they are fascinating garments as well. For dressy occasions, velvet, velveteen, the beautiful fur plushes, the new silk corduroy and wool velours all will be worn. For school and every day wear, chevrons, homespuns, the familiar corduroy, velveteen and the like are appropriate while broadcloth must be added to the list of handsome fabrics, so that there is an excellent opportunity for choice. Again we will trim rough materials with smooth and smooth materials with rough this season and the combinations are often extremely beautiful.

Mothers who realize the advantage of coats that can be slipped on and off easily will be glad to know that kimono sleeves are to be worn as well as those sewed to the armholes. In the illustration is shown a wrap with a big collar, kimono sleeves and deep cuffs that is really fascinating for party wear as well as for the street. It is loose and ample so that it can be slipped on over a dainty frock yet it is quite snug enough to be worn to church and occasions of the kind. Such wraps are fashionable and, when smartness and practicability are combined, the season is an ideal one. Velvet and satin as trimming on broadcloth make very handsome coats and, for simpler occasions, ratine is good as trimming, or the entire coat made of that material with trimming of broadcloth gives a good result. For school wear, the double-faced cloths are warm and comfortable and are essentially practical for they do not require lining and consequently, reduce the labor of making. Braid as finish is being much used, too, and sometimes it is laid on flat, sometimes it binds the edges.

For the 12 year size, the blouse will require 4 1/4 yards of material 27, 3 1/4 yards 36, 2 1/2 yards 44 inches wide; the skirt and trimming 4 yards 27, 2 1/2 yards 36, 2 yards 44 inches wide.

Suits such as this second one are used in numberless ways. Girls like them both for the street and the house and often the blouse is made in a quite different material and worn with an odd skirt. It combines the Norfolk and middie ideas and represents the very latest demand. The skirt is six gored and box plaited at the front and back. For the useful school and college suit, nothing better could be devised. In the illustration, the material is homespun and the trimming is broadcloth.

For the 16 year size, the coat will require 4 1/2 yards of material 27, 2 1/2 yards 44, 2 1/4 yards 52 inches wide with 1 1/2 yards 27 inches wide for the trimming with the belt. The skirt will require 5 1/2 yards 27, 2 1/2 yards 44, 2 1/4 yards 52 inches wide. The width of the skirt at lower edge is 2 1/2 yards, or 1 1/2 yards when the plaits are laid.

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SIMPLE DESIGNS THAT ARE EASILY MADE BY THE HOME DRESSMAKER



FOR little children, the fur plushes are really exquisite. They do not in the least suggest an imitation of fur but are handsome in themselves and make very pretty coats that mothers are sure to welcome them. Heavy silks are much used for little children, too, and bengaline and heavy poplin make exceedingly handsome coats for the little tots, while, at the same time, there are many simpler fabrics used. Broadcloth is pretty and appropriate and white corduroy makes a smart coat that is useful at the same time inasmuch as the material washes readily. It is extremely handsome with trimming of broadcloth also.

Almost every variety of collar is to be worn this season. Big ones in sailor style are liked and often coats that are finished in this way are accompanied by separate shields which can be worn when the days are cold enough to make them comfortable but, for school and occasions of the kind, nothing ever takes the place of the coat that buttons right up to the neck and it is much liked made of cheviot and Scotch mixtures with just a little collar of velvet as finish. Everything that the child wears should be easy to adjust and loose coats are smart but a great many belts are to be worn and some children are charming in coats that are made of the rough cloths that are soft and woolly in effect yet have no appreciable weight. Belts of the material and belts of patent leather are having equal vogue but patent leather is always attractive and this season bright colors, such as red and blue, are worn as well as black.

Colors always should be chosen to be the most becoming possible but, nevertheless, each season seems to bring certain preferences. All the copper shades are to be much worn and they are apt to suit little girls peculiarly well. Blues are fashionable also and many bright shades yet dark are exceedingly rich in effect and can be trimmed either with self color or with black to give an exceedingly handsome result. White is charming for little children and white corduroy, white fur plush and white chinchilla are essentially child-like in effect while chinchilla in darker colors must be included in the list of fashionable materials and also bouclé cloth, for it is essentially a season of rough effects and these two show roughness at its best. Bouclé cloth, of necessity, means certain up-standing loops of thread, however and, consequently, some danger of pulling if the coat is designed for hard wear. Chinchilla is the sturdy standby that always can be trusted and it is particularly pretty in certain colors. It is exceedingly handsome in blue and in gray, but somehow, is seldom so successful in brown. Some of the light weight soft double-faced cloths are woven much after the same manner in blue with the under side of plaid and this under side makes a really delightful trimming while the coats that are made loose do not require lining. Without it, they can be slipped on and off with ease and the cloth makes its own finish.

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M'GREGOR, IOWA.

Mrs. Mattie Thompson of Richland Center, Wis., stopped off between trains with Mrs. J. K. Gray and Mrs. G. A. Anderson Tuesday, while en route from Chyenne, Wyo.

A large delegation of ladies of the Tourist club attended the convention at Postville Monday.

Mr. C. M. Stevens received the news of the death of his mother Saturday at Minneapolis. Mr. and Mrs. Stevens and daughter Faith departed Saturday to attend the funeral.

Mrs. D. G. Crownin of Dubuque spent Tuesday the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Stone.

Mrs. M. Schall spent the fore part of the week at Postville.

Miss Villa Gephardt has been the

guest of her sister, Mrs. R. Turner. Miss Anna Becket arrived Tuesday from Minneapolis to visit her people.

The Frauen Fraien was entertained in the country home of Mrs. Mildred Jones and Miss Etta Sherwood Wednesday afternoon.

Harry Reynolds and Fred Seigle put in the government supply of trout in Bloody Run Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Thomas Williams arrived from Elkader Tuesday to visit with friends.

Miss Carrie Ellefson spent Sunday with Emily Bell in Prairie du Chien.

Mrs. Anna F. Cows was down from Minneapolis, having a private sale on her household goods the fore part of the week.

Mr. H. Bailey departed for Aus-

tin, Minn., looking after the C. M. & St. P. shops there.

Miss Lund, after a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. Herman Holtz, left for her home at Waukon Junction Tuesday.

Sheriff Bergemeyer was over from Elkader Monday to see his brother Ben, who is considerably better.

Professor Roberts spent Saturday and Sunday at Guttenberg.

Miss Dora Carter and Miss Hazeman spent Saturday in Guttenberg.

Mrs. J. G. Heilmann spent Thursday at the home of her mother, Mrs. Katherine Becker.

Mrs. H. Reeves has returned from a week's visit in Chicago.

Ed O'Brien has purchased the Hopper residence on upper Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Foster of Pleasant Ridge spent a day with their brother, G. A. Anderson.

Mr. Milo Knapp spent Wednesday the guest of his sister, Mrs. J. Phillips.

BUTTON CONVICTS MURDERER

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 11.—A lost trouser button was the means of solving the murder of a wealthy couple named Andrejeff, whose bodies were found a few nights ago lying near the Minekaja railway station. They had been stabbed to death.

The only clue was a button picked up near the scene. Investigation showed that it was similar to those used on the uniforms of soldiers of the 146th infantry. Officers examined the clothing of every man in the organization and found one pair of trousers minus a button. The wearer confessed, and is now awaiting sentence.

LIABILITY RISK RATE WAR DUE

English Company Enters Wisconsin Field as Opponent of Eastern Firms

WILL FIGHT COMBINATION

Dozen Big Casualty Concerns Have Pooled in Badger State to Boost Rates

MADISON, Wis., Oct. 11.—Indications of a forthcoming liability insurance war in Wisconsin are engaging attention in Madison. Among those interested in the prospective rate smashing are the heads of the insurance department and the industrial commission, chiefly those connected with the operation of the workmen's compensation act. While for several months it has been seen by the industrial commission and the insurance department that the top notch rates of the eastern liability insurance combination would tumble before long, the material proof that the warfare had started, came with the filing of a document in Insurance Commissioner Ekern's office. When it is known that something like a dozen big casualty companies in the east combined more than a year ago in the issuing of a uniform rate book applicable to all industries in Wisconsin, the importance of the coming break may be realized. There are something like 4,000 employers in Wisconsin who carry liability insurance.

Formed Rate Combination

A great majority of the large companies operating in Wisconsin more than a year ago entered into a rate combination as soon as the Wisconsin compensation act went into effect. Although the risk under the act is lower than the risk faced by employers who do not elect to accept its terms, according to the closest students of the Wisconsin situation, the insurance companies have taken the opposite view. In the judgment of the industrial commission and the insurance commissioner these rates on workmen's compensation were too manifestly unjust and discriminatory that a formal protest was made months ago to the companies. Neither department had the power to force the companies to withdraw these rates. The insurance department, however, did exercise its power of requiring the companies to withdraw the instructions issued to agents as they were based upon a misunderstanding of the law.

The largest companies operating in Wisconsin have from the first advanced the argument that workmen's compensation in England since 1896 has been a failure from an insurance standpoint. Despite this argument the Liverpool & London & Globe company of England has entered the American field under the name of the Globe Indemnity company. The latter company has behind it the ninety-seven million dollar assets of the mother corporation, which has dealt in insurance for a century. The document filed with the insurance department by the Milwaukee agents of the Globe Indemnity company sets forth that the new company will write workmen's compensation in Wisconsin at the Massachusetts rates. The most significant part of the new company's program

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DAKOTA, MINN.

Miss Grace Snyder of Wilton, Wis., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Calvin Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira J. Beach drove to Nodine on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Waas of this place and Mr. and Mrs. Ellen Davis of Livingston, Mont., drove to La Crosse on Sunday to visit friends.

Mr. John Libby and sister, Mrs. P. M. Brown, and her daughter Eunice, drove to La Crosse on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Davis of Livingston, Mont., are visiting Mrs. Davis' father, Ira Beach.

Mr. Fernor Clow spent Saturday at Dresbach looking after the bee business at P. R. Dickson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Cameron and son Lester of La Crosse spent Sunday with relatives and friends here.

Mr. Thomas Bell, who is employed

near Trempealeau bay, spent Sunday at his home.

CLEARINGS SHOW GAIN

ST. PAUL, Oct. 11.—As an index of northwest prosperity, the St. Paul bank clearings cannot be overestimated. Up to October 1 of this year the clearings have made a net gain of \$26,000,000. Some idea of the rapid growth of St. Paul as a financial center can be secured in contrasting the clearings in 1885. In that year they were \$101,635,548. This year they will be approximately \$600,000,000.

U. M. REGISTRATION BIG

ST. PAUL, Oct. 11.—Indications point to a record breaking registration for the school of agriculture of the University of Minnesota. It is expected that more than 1,000 students will register. Last year the registration was 800.

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